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NOTE.—Masters of Subordinate Lodges are requested to have these proceedings read at some convenient time, for the information of members of their respective Lodges.

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FOR 1864.

THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA met in the city of Raleigh, on Monday evening, December 5th, 1864, and was opened in due form by Bro. E. G. Reade, Deputy Grand Master, after prayer, by the Rev. Bro. F. M. Hubbard, Grand Chaplain.

PRESENT:

R. W., E. G. READE, (Acting)	Grand Master,
" " WM. G. HILL,	Dep. Grand Master, *pro tem.*
" " JOHN MCCORMICK,	Grand Senior Warden.
" " R. W. BEST,	Grand Junior Warden.
" " C. W. D. HUTCHINGS,	Grand Treasurer.
" " WILLIAM T. BAIN,	Grand Secretary.
Brother S. N. NEAL,	Grand Sr. Deacon, *pro tem.*
" D. H. STTPHENSON,	Grand Junior Deacon,
" E. GRISSOM,	Grand Sword Bearer,
" J. W. CUNNINGHAM,	Grand Marshal, *pro tem.*
" F. G. FOSTER,	Grand Pursuivant.
" JAMES M. BETTS,	Grand Tyler, *pro tem.*

Bros. W. P. Taylor, E. Grissom and A. Thomas were ap-

pointed a Committee on Credentials, who reported that the following Lodges were duly represented:

St. Johns, No. 1—T M Gardner, F E Silenus.
St. Johns, No. 3.
Charity, No. 5.
Unanimity, No. 7.
Phœnix, No. 8—Henry E Colton.
American George, No. 15—J M Wynn.
Phalanx, No. 31—J L Brown, S L Riddle.
Stokes, No. 32—L S Bingham.
Wm R Davie, No. 37—George Riley.
Hiram, No. 40—Jno Nichols, S M Parish
Liberty, No. 45.
King Solomon, No. 56.
Concord, No. 58.
Perseverence, No. 59.
Kilwinning, No. 64—S W Neal.
Greensboro', No. 76—J W S Parker, D N Sherwood.
Fellowship, No. 84—Alfred Hollowell.
Morning Star, No. 85—B H Sorsby.
Lafayette, No, 83—A J Murrell.
Joseph Warren, No. 92—J C Applewhite.
Jerusalem, No. 95—Jno M Patrick.
St. Johns, No. 96—W W Dunn, E H Dill.
Wake Forest, No. 97—G B Allen.
Hiram, No. 98—L A Powell.
Columbus, No. 102—W P Taylor, Wm Gunter.
Clinton, No. 107—S S Harrison.
Warne, No. 112—Jesse J Baker.
Holly Springs, No. 115—D H Stephenson.
Mount Lebanon, No. 117—C J Rountree.
Logan No. 121, Enos T Blair.
Mount Hermon, No. 118—S L Love.
Tuscarora, No. 122—W A Philpott, J. H Mills.
Franklinton, No. 123—G W Neal, W F Hilliard, (s. w.) A J Henley.
Clinton, No. 124—Ellis Malone, E L Stogall.
Blackmer, No. 127—James M Crump.
Hank's, No. 128—D. Curtis, J M Odell.
Radiance, No. 132—H H Best,
King Solomon, No. 138—J R Hawes.
Mount Energy, No. 140—R H D Bullock.
Carolina, No. 141—W S Kendall, Z. B. Vance, proxy.
Mount Vernon, No. 143—C C Tally.
Adoniram, No. 149—J S Overby, J. F. Clark.
Pee Dee, No. 150—R Harris.
Rolesville, No. 156—Robert E Harris.
Beaumont, No. 170—W P Taylor, W A Taylor, proxy.
Rock Rest, W P Taylor. proxy.
Deep River, No. 164—W T Bain, proxy.
St. Paul, No. 166—Jno R Haws.
Winston, No. 167—W B Stipe.
Pleasant Hill, No. 168—D Coble, W R Denny.
Blackmer, No. 170—R V Blackstock.
Buffaloe, No. 172—J M Crump.
Union, No. 173—Jno H Hester.
Marlboro', No. 177—George Joyner.
Lafayette, No. 179—J C Wilkerson.
Caldwell, No. 180—M Fetter, F W Hilliard.
Carthage, No. 181—Samuel E Johnson.
Townesville, No. 182—W L Burroughs.
Sandy Creek, No. 185—Daniel Wester, E A Gupton.
Pine Forrest, No. 186—G B Waterhouse.
Central Cross, No. 187—A Thomas, H Harris.
Fair Bluff, No. 190—W J Stanly.
Granite, No. 191—E G Hill, G H Faribault.
Burnsville, No. 192—R V Blackstock, proxy.
Carey, No. 198—W J Holleman.
High Point, No. 199—Wm P Pegh.
Eagle Rock, No. 201—Wm Underhill.
Cleaveland, No 202—J W Tracy.
Roanoke, No. 203—Jas Johnson, R W Daniel.
Eno, No. 210—Jno R Green.
Crane's Creek, No. 213—S E Johnson.
New Light, No. 215—B Walker, A L Davis, Eugene Grissom.
Rockingham, No. 216—H H Gibbons.
Catawba Valley, No. 217—J J Erwin.
Industrial, No. 212—Wm G Faucette.
Alamance, No. 133—C R King.
Rock River, No. 159—Dr. W S McCane, J C Kirkman
Cane Creek, No. 142—Dr. J C Kirkman
White Stone No. 155—F G Foster, A J Underhill.
Lincoln Lodge, No. 137—S Lander, W J Hoke.
Warren Lodge, No. 101—F G Simmons, H Grimes.
Fair Bluff, No. 190—W J Stanly.
Richland Lodge, No. 214—A G Foster, R W Shelly.
Jefferson Lodge, No. 219—C F Foster.
Knap of Reeds, No. 158—Jno Fleming.
Military No. 1, J E Avery Lodge—R W York.
Archer, No. 165—S P Horton.
Mings, 206—L A Powell.
Long Creek, No. 205—W T Bain.
Person, No. 113—J W Cunningham.
Mill Creek, No. 125—Thomas D Snead.
George Washington, No. 174—A C Council.
William G Hill Lodge, No. 218—John B Neathery, W J Palmer, R H Rountree.
Falkland, No. 196—P H Mayo.
Belmont, No. 108—A M Faison.
Mt. Mosia, No. 82—S Wittkowsky.
Palmyra, No. 147—Neill McKay
Dan River, No. 129—J R Cardille, s. w.
Mocksville, No. 134—Wm T Bain.
Leaksville, No. 136—John Strong.
Liberty, No. 45—E M Welborn.
King Solomon, No. 56—Jno B Odom.

R. W., Albert G. Mackay, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina, was introduced, and invited to a seat in the Grand Lodge.

The following Committee were appointed:

On Charters and Dispensations.—Bros. R. V. Blackstock, W. W. Dunn, and F. G. Foster.

On Foreign Correspondence.—Bros. F. M. Hubbard, E. Malone, and Robert W. Lassiter.

On Returns and Proceedings from Subordinate Lodges.—Bros. C. J. Rountree, Burnace Walker, and J. W. Wellons.

On Expulsions and Suspensions.—Bros. W. J. Stanly, John Nichols, and G. B. Waterhouse.

On Accounts and Claims.—Bros. M. Felter, G. Joyner and J. W. Cunningham.

On Grand Secretary's Books and Report.—Bros. L. S. Bingham, J. W. Tracey and W. J. Headen.

On Grand Treasurer's Accounts.—Bros. S. S. Harrison, J. C. Patrick and J. C. Applewhite.

On Jurisprudence.—Bros. Henry J. Colton, J. M. Winne and W. P. Taylor.

On motion of Bro. R. W. Best, it was

Resolved, That all transient brethren of good standing, who may be in the city, are invited to attend the meetings of this Grand Communication.

Bro. H. H. Gibbons appointed Bro. W. W. Dunn his proxy for Rockingham Lodge, No. 216.

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment, until to-morrow morning, 10 o'clock.

TUESDAY MORNING, 10½ o'clock,
December 5, 1864.

The Grand Lodge was called from refreshment to labor.

The Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master and Grand Senior Warden being absent, Bro. Best, Grand Junior Warden, proceeded to open the Grand Lodge, by appointing Bro. Wellkousky, Grand Senior Warden, *pro tem.*, and Bro. W.

W. Dunn, Grand Junior Warden, *pro tem.*, and Bro. Thilpot, Grand Treasurer, *pro tem.*

The Minutes, of Monday, were read and approved.

The M. W. G. M., E. F. Watson appeared this morning and took his seat.

The Grand Secretary submitted his Annual Report, which was read and adopted:

To the Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Another Masonic year has rolled around and you have again been permitted to meet in Grand Lodge to deliberate upon such matters as may be submitted for your consideration and final action.

I have nothing of much importance to communicate to your body.

I sent three copies of the proceedings of our last communication to those subordinate Lodges which I believed to be at work, and also blank returns, which I hope they have received in due time.

One copy each of our proceedings has been sent to the Grand Lodges of the Southern Confederacy, with Maine and Maryland, and I have received from the following Grand Lodges one copy of their proceedings: Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland—1863 and 1864,—and Virginia, which will, I presume, be submitted to a committee for examination.

Up to this communication I have received from the subordinate Lodges the sum of $2,134,25 for their annual stipends, which amount I have paid to the Grand Treasurer, and for which he has given his receipt.

Respectfully submitted.

W. T. BAIN, Grand Sec'y.

The Committee on Charters and Dispensations made the following report, which was read and adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The committee on Character and Dispensations beg leave to report that they have examined the by-laws, records, &c., of the following Lodges:

W. G. Hill Lodge.—We find the by-laws of this Lodge in strict accordance with the laws of your Grand Body, and its books kept in so neat and business-like a manner as to reflect much honor on its officers. Its work is heartily approved, and we cheerfully recommend they be granted a Charter.

We say the same of Jefferson Lodge, and also recommend a Charter.

Stokesbury Lodge we find not so perfect. We recommend its by-laws be adopted as amended by the Committee. We find also a fault in their minutes which we fear too many Lodges are now and have been practicing to too great an extent—the making of cases of emergency—and we know of no way to obviate this growing evil unless your body will repeal all laws on its statutes granting such power to sub-Lodges.

But believing their intentions are good, we recommend they be also granted a Charter.

R. V. BLACKSTOCK,
W. W. DUNN.
F. G. FOSTER.

The Report from Franklin Lodge, No. 123, on Education, was read and adopted.

FRANKLINTON, N. C.,
Franklinton Lodge, No. 123,
December 2, 1864.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

As representatives of the Masonic Fraternity of Franklinton Lodge, No. 123, we would beg leave most respectfully to port to your body the annual progress and

efforts which this subordinate Division of Freemasonry is making in the cause of education, which at this juncture of our country's struggle for national existence recommends itself with peculiar force as the one great and imperative means of filling up the educated ranks, so deeply and broadly swept by the ravages of war, and of transmitting to posterity a national appreciation of our institutions, and civil and political liberties.

As Trustees of Franklinton Academy, we would briefly submit for your consideration, the following, viz: This Seminary of learning is still under the direction of Professor George W. Neal, who brings with an earnest devotion to the cause of letters, a successful experience in teaching for fifteen years in Academic and Collegiate Institutions of this State and the South; students have the important advantages offered of acquiring an experimental knowledge of the Natural Sciences by Philosophical and Chemical Apparatus, and free access to a library for reading purposes; the number of pupils has averaged during this year about fifty, which would have been largely increased, if applicants from Virginia and this State could have obtained board on terms which they could afford to pay; the hand of charity has been extended to children whose parents are unable to meet expenses; the system of discipline is of that parental, yet positive character, which may best develop the physical, mental and moral constitution of students, and make them useful and honorable members of society. We cheerfully recommend for the patronage of brother Masons the educational advantages here offered. All of which we would submit with considerations of high fraternal regard.

S. D. BEVES,
J. H. WHITFIELD,
WM. F. HILLIARD,
R. S. HARRIS, } Trustees.

Bro. Nichols submitted the following resolution, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, It is the opinion of the Grand Lodge that Lodges working under Dispensation have no right to affiliate members; therefore

Resolved, That all Lodges who have been working under Dispensation be requested to re-ballot on the petition of all members they have received by demit during the period of such dispensation.

Charges and specifications against Bro. J. M. Gore, W. M., of Lebanon Lodge, No. 209, were submitted, and referred to a committee consisting of Bros. W. R. Denne, R. W. Best, E. Malone, S. W. Neal and W. S. Kennett.

Bros. C. R. King and W. W. Dunn were appointed a Committee on Credentials; Bros. W. P. Taylor and E. Grissom excused.

On motion of Bro. R. W. Best, Bros. Hilliard, T. M. Gardner and Wellons were appointed a committee on the unfinished business of the Grand Lodge.

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment until 3 o'clock, P. M.

TUESDAY EVENING, 3 o'clock, }
Dec. 6th, 1864. }

The Grand Lodge was called from refreshment to labor.

The Grand Officers in their seats.

A large delegation present.

The report of the Committee on the Grand Secretary's Books was read and adopted:

GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA, }
DECEMBER 6, 1864. }

The Committee appointed to examine the books of the Grand Secretary beg leave, respectfully, to report that they have examined the same, and find them all correct. We suggest to the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge, that in consideration of the faithful services of our worthy Grand Secretary for many years, and the present high prices of all the necessaries of life, together with the great depreciation of the currency of the country, that the following resolution be adopted as a part of this report, to wit:

Resolved, That the Grand Secretary be allowed six hundred dollars for his services for the year 1864, and that the Grand Treasurer be ordered to pay the same.

L. S. BINGHAM,
Chm'n of Com. on Grand Sec'y's Books.

The annexed additional report on Charters and Dispensations was read and adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Charters and Dispensation beg leave to report further that they have examined the by-laws and records of the following Lodges, in addition to those already reported, viz:

Jonesville	Lodge,	Haw River	Lodge,
Webster	do	Wilson	do
Tabernacle	do	Jeffersonville	do Ashe County.
County Line	do		

We find their records well kept, and their by-laws as altered in accordance with the regulations of your grand body.

We recommend that their prayers for Charters be granted.

W. W. DUNN,
F. G. FOSTER.

Bro. Colton offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed, to take into consideration the various subjects in a communication from the Worthy Master of Phœnix Lodge, No. 8, herewith presented, and that they report to this Grand Lodge.

Bros. Colton, Blackstock and C. R. King were appointed the said Committee.

The Grand Treasurer submitted his Annual Report, which was referred to the Committee on his accounts:

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT.

C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, Treasurer, in account with the Grand Lodge of N. C.

1863-'64.		
Dec. 3.	To amount of cash balance on hand on settlement last annual communication,	$172 67
	Amount of cash received of Grand Secretary from December, 1863, to December, 1864, inclusive,	2,123 25
	Total amount,	$2,296 92
	AMOUNT OF DISBURSEMENT FOR SAME PERIOD.	
1863.		
Dec. 15.	By cash paid Grand Secretary,	$250 00
1864.		
Jan. 4.	By cash paid Progress Office,	34 25
	do do do H. D. Turner,	19 25
	do do do Postage amount,	7 30
	do do do John Spelman,	25 00
	do do do S. M. Parrish,	59 50
	do do do W. T. Bain, postage account,	10 00
	do do do State and County tax,	16 00
	do do do W. W. Holden,	60 00
	By amount paid exchange on old for new issue, April, 1864, on sixteen hundred and seventy-seven dollars,	559 00
July 8.	Cash paid A. M. German,	819 00
	Cash paid City and County tax,	20 00
	5 per cent. commission on $2,124 25,	106 80
		$1,986 10
	Amount brought forward to balance	310 82
		$2,296 92
	Balance in hands of Treasurer	310 82

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. D. HUTHINGS, Treasurer.

The following report from Bros. Martin and Green was read and referred to the committee on Jurisprudence:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of A. F. and Accepted Masons of N. C.:

In a matter brought to the notice of your Grand body, at the last grand annual communication, by Phœnix Lodge, No. 8, Fayetteville, N. C., wherein complaint was made that St. John's Lodge, No. 1, Wilmington, N. C., had entertained the petition of James O. Bussy, for the degrees in masonry, said Bussy being at the time a resident of that jurisdiction, and a rejected applicant to that Lodge. The undersigned having been appointed to enquire into, and report the facts in the case to the succeding grand annual communication, they beg leave to submit the following as the result of their enquiries: On the 30th day of July, 1863, Mr. James O. Bussy filed his petition in St. John's Lodge, No. 1, for the degrees; the said petition being in the usual form, and as he represents, the words, "a resident of Wilmington," being overlooked, if he read the petition at all. In as much as the said Bussy had been born and raised in Wilmington, and had never, for any considerable length of time, been absent from the place, being at the time engaged in running a steamboat between Wilmington and Fayetteville, it did not occur to the Committee of Enquiry, nor to any member of the Lodge to enquire whether or not he had changed his residence. At the next regular meeting, Mr. Bussy was balloted for and elected, and on the first day of September, 1863, received the first degree. At that meeting, (and the W. M. thinks,) after the Lodge was closed, he was informed for the first time that said Bussy had applied and been rejected at Phœnix Lodge, when he replied that Phœnix Lodge had no right to entertain his petition, inasmuch as he was a resident of this jurisdiction. Still believing that such was the fact, he did not bring the subject before the Lodge, but on the first day of October, 1863, conferred upon him the second degree. Before he applied for the third degree, the subject was brought to the attention of the Lodge, by the action of the Grand Lodge, and his further progress suspended.

Subsequent enquiries developed the fact that Mr. Bussy did consider himself a resident of Fayetteville at the time that he applied for the degrees here.

Your Committee feel assured that St. John's Lodge would not intentionally trespass upon the right of jurisdiction of any other Lodge, or disregard an opinion expressed through the ballots of a sister Lodge, as to the merits of an applicant for the honors of masonry, and that she will cheerfully submit to the decision of your Grand body in the premises.

ARFRED MARTIN,
JAMES FOY GREEN.

Called off until this evening, at 7½ o'clock.

TUESDAY EVENING, 7½ o'clock, }
December 6, 1864. }

The Grand Lodge was called from refreshment to labor.

Grand officers in their seats.

A large representation present.

The report of the committee in the case of J. W. Gore, was read and adopted :

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina :

The Committee to whom was referred "an appeal from the decision of Brother J. W. Gore, W. M., of Lebanon Lodge, No. 207, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to submit the following report :

We have examined the charges and specifications, and accompanying documents, and from all the facts therein set forth, we recommend that the said J. W. Gore be expelled from all the rights and privileges of Free and Accepted Masonry, and the Grand Secretary communicate the same to the subordinate Lodges in this State at an early day.

And further, your Committee would recommend that the Most Worshipful Grand Master grant a dispensation to the members of Lebanon Lodge, No. 207, to hold an election for officers for the ensuing Masonic year, at as early a day as possible.

W. R. DENNY,
R. W. BEST,
WM. S. KENDALL,
ELLIS MALONE,
S. W. NEAL.

Bro. William G. Hill's preamble and resolutions on a uniformity of work were read, and a motion of Bro. W. P. Tay, in the same, were postponed until to-morrow morning, 10 o'clock.

The Grand Master submitted his annual address, which, on motion of Bro. Colton, were referred to a committee of three, consisting of Bros. Colton, Felter and Grissom :

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS.

To the Members of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina :

Brethren : We meet to-night around the Altar where we have been accustomed annually to congregate, to offer up anew our devotion to the great Author of the Universe.

We meet under circumstances which are peculiar and interesting to every Mason and every patriot of the country.

A great revolution is upon us, and it not only becomes us as citizens, but as patriots and Masons, to give our aid in the great struggle going on for liberty and independence.

The ancient fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons, have nobly sent forth in defence of our country's rights, many of her most valiant sons, who have sacrificed their lives in defence of Liberty, and against the usurpation of a despot and tyrant, and will ever be ready to stand side by side with the bravest of North Carolina's sons in vindicating our rights and our institutions.

Masonry teaches its members that all power is delegated for the good, and not for the injury of the people, and that when it is perverted in any way from its original purpose, the compact is broken, and the right ought to be resumed; that resistance to power usurped is not merely a duty which man owes to himself, to his neighbor and to society, but a duty which he owes to the Great I Am, in asserting and maintaining the exalted rank which he gave him in the creation. This great principle, neither the rudeness of ignorance, can, in the heat of strife, nor the enervation of refinement extinguish. It makes it base for a man to suffer when he ought to act, and, tending to preserve to him the original destinations of Providence, spurns at the arrogant assumptions of tyrants, and vindicates the independent quality of the race of which we are a part.

The wise and well-informed Mason never fails to be the great friend and votary of liberty and justice. He will be ever ready to exert himself in their defence, wherever they exist. It cannot be a matter of indifference to him when his own liberty and that of other men, with whose merits and capacities he is acquainted, are involved in the struggle or revolution to be made, but his attachment will be to the cause and to the country. Yes, the true Mason identifies the honor of his beloved country with his own, and nothing more conduces to the beauty and glory of one's country than the preservation against all enemies of both its civil and religious liberties.

The world, and history, will never willingly let die the names of those noble patriots, who in every age of the world, have received upon their own breasts the blows aimed by insolent enemies at the bosom of their country. Forever will men remember Leonidas, who, with his three hundred brave comrades, held Thermopylæ against the Persian myriads. Hannibal, who for Carthage, defied the power of Rome. Cincinnatus, who left his plough and put on the purple and command Rome's armies. Washington, who was "first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen," and who is endeared to every true American, as the Father of his country. Jackson, Rodes and others, who have fallen in defence of Southern liberty and independence, and thousands of patriots, who, in every age have held their lives to be the property of their country, and of but small account when compared with her interest and honor, her independence and nationality.

He has already lived much too long who has survived the complete devastation and ruin of his country, and the citizen who can enjoy life after such an awful event, seems not to have lived at all. Nor does he any more deserve to live, who can look contentedly upon such abuses that disgrace, cruelties that dishonor, scenes of misery, destitution and brutalization that disfigure his country, and makes no effort, or uses no remedy to prevent either.

It is but seldom a country is at war, nor can every one be allowed the privilege of offering his heart to the enemy's bullets, but in the war now waging against the institutions which are dear to every true Southern patriot, all may come in for a share in the glory. Even the meanest soldier who fought at Bunker's Hill, King's Mountain, Saratoga or elsewhere is a sharer in the glory of those saving days. The same will be the case with those brave patriots who have fallen on the plains of Manassas, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, and the battles around Richmond, and elsewhere, during our great struggle for liberty, independence and self-preservation; and within the household circle of those brave patriots, the approbation of which approaches nearest to that of an approving conscience, will be looked upon as the true representative of all his brother heroes, in his country's defence, and could tell such thrilling incidents of the different campaigns and battles as would make the tear glisten on the cheek of his companion, and lighten his childrens eyes with sparkling eagerness. But should he unfortunately fall in the thickest of the battle, where every true patriot desires to be, and his place becomes vacant by the fireside and at the table at home, that place becomes sacred, and he is often the theme of conversation in the long winter evenings, and his family is deemed fortunate, among its neighbors, because it had a patriot and hero as one of its members, who has shed his blood, and given his life as a willing sacrifice on the altar of his country.

We, as Masons, my brethren, should remember that life's length is not measured by its minutes, its hours and days, but by that good which we have done therein for

our country and our fellows. An idle and useless life is short, if it lasts a century or more, but that of Hannibal was long. The same may be said of many who have fell on the field of battle during our present revolution, though they have fallen in the spring or at the meridian of life, they have not lived in vain; their memories will be cherished by those yet unborn, and their deeds of heroic valor will shine with resplendent beauty on the historian's page.

The duty of Masons to the Government, is a subject I desire to call to your attention for a few moments, for the reason, that I have recently received a number of communications, from the presiding officers of various subordinate Lodges, relative to a recent organization of a political character, which society, it is alleged by many, is treasonable in its tendency. How far this allegation is true, I am not prepared to determine, having no knowledge in regard to it, except what I have gathered from the political journals of the day.

It is a fact well known to every intelligent Mason, that Freemasonry never interferes with the affairs of Government, politics or religion, but leaves every man's conscience free, no matter whether he be Jew, Christian or Mahomedan. Hence it is, that Masons are to be found in every clime on the habitable globe, all obeying the same landmarks of the order. One of the most positive injunctions given the candidate for admission into our order, and one of the admonitions most frequently repeated is, "to fulfill all civil duties in the most distinguished manner and from the purest motives." This is one of the most positive and binding regulations. In the "ancient charges collected from old records," is the following: "No private piques or quarrels must be brought within the door of the Lodge, far less any quarrels about religion, or nations, or State policy. Being of all nations, tongues, kindreds and languages, we are resolved against all politics, as what yet never conduced to the welfare of the Lodge, nor ever will." Again, "Whoever would be a true Mason is to know that by the privileges of the Order, his obligations as a subject and citizen, will not be relaxed but enforced."

He is to be a lover of peace, and obedient to the civil powers which give him protection, and are set over him where he resides or works. Nor can a real Craftsman ever be concerned in conspiracies against the State, or be disrespectful to the Magistrate, because the welfare of his country is his most happy object. No man can be invested with the office of Master of a Lodge until he has signified his assent to those charges and regulations, which clearly point out the duty of that station and promise to submit and support them, "as Masters have done in all ages." Among other particulars are these: "You agree to be a peaceable subject, and cheerfully to conform to the laws of the country in which you reside." "You promise not to be concerned in plots or conspiracies against Government, but patiently to submit to the decisions of the supreme legislature." "You agree to pay a proper respect to the civil Magistrate; to work diligently, live in credit, and act honorably with all men." Lastly, though of not less importance, every candidate, upon admission into the Fraternity, is thus charged: "In the State you are never to countenance disloyalty or rebellion, but yield yourself, and encourage in others, a cheerful conformity to the Government under which you live."

These are some of the regulations handed down by our ancestors, which should guard every Mason against the most remote possibility of being suspected of disloyalty. Masons, as well as other men, are members of civil society; equally interested in preserving its order and peace. They owe their personal and their associate security to the laws, their protection to the rigid enforcement of these laws. While the true Mason acts within his sphere, he is a true friend to his Government. That is the centre of his circle—the point where his affections are the warmest. His philanthrophy is by no means incompatible with patriotism; and when he speaks of being free, and of standing on a level with his brethren, he advances no sentiment in militancy, with social or political grades and dignities. He admits, and is familiar with, the principle of due subordination. He finds its expediency in his own institution, and he knows it is essential to good government and order in the community. "To be free is one of the characteristics of his profession, but it is that steady freedom which freedom feels and wisdom dictates." A freedom which reason, honor and virtue sanctions; a freedom from the dominion of passion and the slavery of vice. The institution of Masonry is founded on love to God, and love to man, whose chief glory is to reward in its numbers those peaceful virtues which are most friendly to their own tranquility, and most benificent and happy to the world, which declares and repeats to every candidate, and in all its Lodges that it can never countenance anything contrary to morals, religion or the Government; which expects and requires the highest reverence to the Supreme Being, obedience to rulers, respect to superiors, kindness to equals and condescension to inferiors. In

this character and conduct may each of us still be known and respected, continuing to "walk by the same rule and mind the same thing." And may your Lodges be beautiful as the temple, peaceful as its Ark, and sacred as its most holy place. May your oblations of piety and praise be grateful as the incense. Your love warm as its flame, and your charity diffusive as its fragrance. May your hearts be pure as the altar, and your whole conduct acceptable as the offering; may the approbation of Heaven be your encouragement, and may He "who seeth in secret, reward you openly."

In the present highly prosperous condition of Masonry, there is great danger of the ancient landmarks of the order being violated. During the past Masonic year, I have received a number of communications asking advice in regard to conferring the degrees upon a meritorious class of our citizens; upon men who have spilt their blood in defence of their country, but who have been so unfortunate as to be maimed, some by the loss of an arm, and some by the loss of a foot or a leg. However much we may esteem this highly respectable class of our community, or sympathise with them in their misfortunes, yet without a direct violation of an important landmark of masonry, they cannot be received into the order.

Anderson's Constitution of Masonry, and the old charges as established by him, so far as we recollect, have never been altered or changed in a single particular, by any Grand Lodge, if we except the late attempt of the M. W. Grand Lodge of England to strike out the word "born," in its connection with "free." These old laws contain all the ancient landmarks proper to be written. To these then, and to these only can we appeal for authority.

We make the following extract from the fourth of the old charges, as collected by Anderson to sustain the position we have taken when written to upon this subject:

"Only candidates may know that no master should take an apprentice unless he has sufficient employment for him, and unless he be a perfect youth, having no maim or default about his body that may render him incapable of learning the art of serving his master's Lord and of being made a brother, then a fellow craft, in due time, soon after he has served such a term of years as the custom of the country directs, and that he should be descended of honest parents, that so, when otherwise qualified, he may arrive to the honor of being a Warden, and then the Master of the Lodge, the Grand Warden, and at length the Grand Master of all the Lodges, according to his merit."

We think any intelligent Mason must see the fitness of the ancient law above quoted. And every Master presiding over a subordinate Lodge should rule, when petitions from this class of citizens are presented, that all who cannot make a Square, Level and Plumb, and all those who cannot fully exercise the three human scenes, cannot be received, because they could not be useful in practicing our rites. The law requires that a man shall not be so maimed, or deformed, that he cannot practice and teach the rituals of Masonry. How could the presiding officer of a Lodge teach our rituals, who had but one foot or one hand? How could a deaf or blind man give instructions in Masonry? It must be obvious, they cannot practice our rituals, and hence cannot be admitted into the Fraternity.

I desire to call the attention of the presiding officers of the subordinate Lodges to the subject of non-Affiliated Masons. This has become an evil of such magnitude that I deem it my duty to call the attention of the craft in this jurisdiction to the subject.

Demitted Masons enjoy many advantages over the members of the Lodge. They are released from the operation of the by-laws of the Lodge under whose jurisdiction they live, which requires a regular attendance upon the meetings of the Lodge, the payment of monthly dues, and from the burdensome task of spending night after night in doing the business and work of the Lodge. They are exempt also from a very unpleasant duty, that of trying and punishing disorderly members.—They can, when they feel it their interest, visit the Lodge, return when they please, and then call on the members to do them acts of favor and fraternal kindness, and frequently administer to their necessities.

Frequently we will hear Masons say they have not been in a Lodge for a number of years, and then complain of being, to use a common phrase, "rusty." This subject is of sufficient importance to be enquired into, and a subject on which there should be but one opinion.

Anciently all Masons were required to keep their names enrolled in some Lodge book, and if this great and fundamental law had not been grossly violated, we should not see any non-Affiliated Masons. We again quote from Anderson's Constitution, to show the correctness of the position taken above.

"No set, or number of brethren, shall withdraw or separate themselves from the Lodge in which they were made, or were afterwards made members, unless the

Lodge become too numerous, nor even then, without a dispensation from the Gran Master or Deputy, and when thus separated, they must immediately join themselves to such other Lodge that they shall like best, or else obtain the Grand Master's warrant to join in forming a new Lodge, to be regularly constituted in good time."

In calling the attention of the brethren to this subject, I am actuated by a desire to see the ancient Constitution and landmarks of the order strictly adhered to.—Upon this depends, in a great measure, the perpetuity of the institution. His land marks are unchanged, and must be strictly observed, not only by the subordinate Lodges, but by each and every Grand Lodge.

I have granted during the present Masonic year the following dispensations: One for a Lodge at Olin; County Line Lodge, in Davie county; Tabernacle Lodge, in Guilford; Jonesville Lodge in Jonesville and one for a Lodge at Lenoir, Burke Co.

I have granted the following military dispensations: J. E. Avery Military Lodge, No. 1, 6th N. C. Troops, Hoke's Brigade; Z. B Vance Lodge, No. 2, 40th Reg't, Heavy Artillery, N. C.; Vance Brothers' Lodge, No. 3, 43rd N. C. Troops, Daniel's Brigade; Lodge in 3rd N. C. Cavalry, No. 4; Chicamauga Lodge, 21st Regiment, No. 5; J. C. McDowell Lodge, 1st N. C. Battalion, No. 6.

All those petitions for dispensations were properly recommended, by the ancient working Lodges, and the Masonic character of the petitioners fully vouched for.

To walk uprightly before God and before man, without deviating to the right or left, is the duty of every Mason, neither as an enthusiast, nor a persecutor, in religion, nor binding in the least towards innovation or infidelity. In civil government, firm in our allegiance, yet steadfast to our laws, liberties and constitution. In private life, giving up every selfish propensity, inclining neither to avarice nor injustice, to malice nor revenge, to envy nor contempt, in our intercourse, with each other or with mankind, but as the master workman raises his column by the plum or perpendicular, so should every Mason conduct himself towards the world and his brethren. To such our affections by justice and our actions, by truth is to wear a jewel that might ornament the bosom of the highest monarch on earth. Yet merely to act with justice and truth is not all the Mason should attempt. To love and approve are monuments in the soul of man which gives him pleasure, but to pity or sympathise, gives him heavenly sensations, and to relieve the distresses of a worthy brother or friend is divine.

Hence charity has her existence. She act from a consciouness of man's equality in nature, and knows the level on which mortality was created in the beginning.

Accordingly the Mason indulges sympathetic feelings from the affections of the heart breathing love he has towards his brother. The result of this human judgment induces us to weigh the necessities of our suffering fellow-creatures, and pursuant thereto, we dispense our charities from pure affection.

To be an upright Mason is still to add greater lustre to our character; to do justice to all, and to have charity, are excellent traits in human life, but to act uprightly with all men, but more especially with a brother Mason, gives a superlative degree of excellence to a masonic character; for in acting thus we not only lay examples in religious, but in our civil and moral deportment. In morality it is required of us, not to err by injuring, betraying, or denouncing, but that we should aim to do good, in every capacity, or in every station in life, wherein the Great I Am has placed us. By such means Masonry should be willling to be proved; and thereby testify to the world that the emblematical jewels which he wears, are ensigns only of the inward man or soul; then he will stand with an approving conscience before high Heaven and before his fellow-man, purchasing or meriting felicity to himself as a professor of Masonry, and honor to the institution, of which he is a member.

King Solomon, after the completion of the temple at Jerusalem, carried into it all the vessels and instruments, which was requisite for the service and worship of Jehovah, according to the law of his people. So we, as Masons, as workmen in the great moral duties enjoined upon us and as servants of the great Architect of the universe, have constantly before us those Masonic emblems which remind us of what we are and what is required of us. Virtue is defined by moralists to be "that steadfast purpose and firm will of doing those things which nature has dictated to us, as the best and most salutory—a habit of the soul, by which mankind are inclined to do the things which are upwright and good, and avoid those that are evil." In short, virtue is strict, moral honesty, and comprehends good principles. Prudence should characterize the conduct of every Mason; it should be always present to the mind's eye, that his heart may be attentive to her dictates and steadfast in her laws. Prudence is the path which leads to every degree of prosperity and is the rule of all virtue; it is the channel from whence flows self-approbation for ever. She leads her followers forth to worthy actions, and as a guiding star

enlightens us through the darksome and deary paths of this life. Fortitude is another characteristic of a Mason, by which, in the midst of the greatest calamity or of the most pressing evils, he is enabled to do that which is agreeable to the dictates of of right reason. Temperance must also be one of the Mason's most steadfast principles, it being the moderating or restraining of our affections and passions, especially those of sobriety and chastity, and we might include, under the various definitions given it by moralists, honesty, decency and discretion, weakness, charity and modesty.

As a more immediate guide for a Mason, the Lodge is furnished with rules which are unerring, whereby he can form his conduct. The great Masonic Law Book is ever open before him when in the Lodge, that he may not say that through ignorance he erred. Having laid down in it all the great Architect of the world has dictated to mankind as the mode in which he would be served, and the path marked out in which they are to tread, to obtain his divine approbation. Whatever sacred precepts have been given us, and whatever laws have been recorded by the prophets of old, the same are faithfully recorded and comprised in the Book of the Law of Masonry. This great Law Book reveals the duties which the Grand Master of all, exacts from us. It being open to every eye and comprehensible by every mind, therefore, who among us that knows not the acceptable service.

And now a parting word to all my brethren. Let me urge you to hold fast to the tradition of our order; preserve immortal the landmarks which have been handed down to us pure and unimpaired. The great principles of the Masonic Institution are those of truth. They are principles allied to our sacred religion, and are everlasting. They existed when the foundation of the earth was laid, and formed an arch, more magnificent than the firmament with all its glorious "inlay of stars."

We have spoke of Masonry and endeavored to enforce on the minds of our brethren that Free Masonry is one of the most powerful agents of virtue. Every step, every mystery of the order, like "the things hard to be understood in scripture," are potent witnesses of divine truth. From every dangerous path, and every dark and rugged way, from every solemn vale we penetrate, and from every mysterious sign and word of exhortation. We desire the most lucid and brilliant illustrations of a glorious destiny. Viewed as a moral sermon, it commands our highest esteem, and opens to our mental vision a sublime astronomy, where are seen stars and sun revolving about a great centre in the unseen depths of glory. About that firmament are, no doubt crystal waters. Some spiritual Jordan, in which the righteous Mason may be baptised anew, on their way to the heavenly city. In that beautiful land of light, the soul will find problems of moral science, which it will forever delight to study and yet never solve. There it may be ever telling up the sum of human happiness, and never finding an answer. How incomprehensible then is the mystery of man's eternal progress. No plumb line can sound the depths of mercy, and no compasses can describe immensity, within whose infinite triangle, which will continue forever incomprehensible to the student of celestial geometry.

The Masonic order stands a monument of ancient renown—a massive structure, supported by wisdom, strength and beauty. But if we wish to enjoy real satisfaction in viewing the splendid edifice, we must "go down to its very foundaiion." We must cross the gulf of time, and go back to the age in which its "stones were known, and visit the graves of the Masters whose hands fashioned and heaved them into their places." Let us often think upon the mysterious and solemn ties which unite us as a band of friends and brothers, and pledge anew our vows of holy brotherhood, and ever walk uprightly before God and man.

Brothers, may you discharge all your Masonic duties with fidelity and honor; that when the events of time shall be ended and the retributions of eternity begin; when the morning stars shall again sing together, and the sons of God shout for joy, may each of you join the animating chorus, and share the glorious triumph. Then you shall be deemed worthy to enter the doors of the celestial temple to be adorned with jewels beautiful with immortality, and advanced to glories, incomparably more resplendant than any here below.

E. F. WATSON, G. M.

The Grand Lodge then went into an election for officers for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows:

John McCormick, of Harnett Co., Grand Master.
R. W. Best, of Greene, " Sen. Warden.
David H. Stephenson, of Wake, " Jun. Warden.

C. W. D. Hutchings, of Raleigh, [Grand Treasurer.
William T. Bain, of Raleigh, " Secretary.

The following document from Yadkin Lodge, No. 164, in the case of Bro. VanEaten, was read and adopted :-

WHEREAS, Yadkin Lodge, No. 162, has suspended brother W. L. VanEaten from from all the rights of Masonry for twelve months; and whereas, said Lodge has, after repeated applications on the part of said brothers, refused to send up to this Grand Lodge a copy of its proceedings in said case, Brother VanEaten having appealed from said decision of said Lodge; be it therefore

Resolved, That brother W. L. VanEaten be restored to all the rights and benefits of Masonry, and the said Lodge be restrained and prohibited from acting as a Lodge until a copy of its proceedings in said case be sent to this Grand Lodge.

D. N. SHERWOOD.

RALEIGH, N. C., November 7th, 1864.

This day personally appears before me, W. T. Bain, Grand Secretary of Grand Lodge of North Carolina, W. L. VanEaten, and maketh oath that he has applied to the Secretary, and to the Master, of Yadkin Lodge, no less than five times, for a copy of the proceedings in the case in that Lodge against him, and has offered to them to have the said proceedings drawn off at his own expense, and has always been refused a copy of said proceedings.

W. L. VANEATEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me.
W. T. BAIN.

Past Grand Master, Bro. W. F. Collins, appeared this evening, and was invited to a seat in the Grand Lodge.

On motion of Bro. Stanly, it was

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed to invite P. G. M., W. G. Hill to be present and install the Grand Officers elect for the ensuring year, to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Bros. Stanly, Denny and Foster compose that Committee.

The Committee on the Grand Treasurer's account made the annexed report which was adopted :

The Committee appointed to examine the accounts of the Grand Treasurer, beg leave to report that they have examined the same and find them correct. That he has received from the Grand Secretary $2124 25. together with $172 67, on hand of last year. in all 2,296 92 and his disbursements have been $1.986 10 leaving a balance of $380 82.

J. C. APPLEWHITE,
JOHN M. PATRICK.

Bro. S. P. Horton, appointed Bro. S. W. Neal proxy for his Lodge.

Bro. W. D. Meacham appointed Brother Wellkowsky his proxy.

Bro. Hethe appointed Bro. Matthews his proxy.

Bro. B. H. Sorsby appointed Bro. D. W. Bain his proxy.

Called off until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, 9 o'CLOCK,
December 7, 1864.

The Grand Lodge called from refreshment to labor.

The Grand Officers and delegates in their seats.

The following Grand Officers were installed by P. G. Master, E. F. Watson:

Brother	John McCormick,	Grand	Master,
"	R. W. Best,	"	Senior Warden,
"	D. H. Stephenson,	"	Junior Warden.
"	C. W. D. Hutchings,	"	Treasurer.
"	William T. Bain,	"	Secretary.

The Grand Master then made the following appointments:

Brother	E. Grissom,	Deputy Grand	Master.
"	Rev. Jas. McDaniel,	"	Chaplain.
"	R. V. Blackstock,	"	Sen. Deacon.
"	W. .W. Dunn,	"	Jun. Deacon.
"	M. Bowes,	"	Marshall.
"	W. H. Avera,	"	Sword Bearer.
"	W. R. Denny,	"	Pursuivant.
"	James M. Betts,	"	Tyler.

Bro. A. G. Mackay was requested, and gave his views at some length on the history of Masonry, in regard to the Prestonian and Stevenson work.

Called off until 3 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, 3 o'CLOCK,
December 7, 1864,

The Grand Lodge called from refreshment to labor.

Past Grand Master A. T. Jerkins appeared, and was invited to a seat in the Grand Lodge.

The preamble and resolution of Bro. William G. Hill were called up, and after some discussion the same were adopted:

WHEREAS, on Friday evening, December 7th, 1860, ostensibly to secure uniformity of work, a resolution was adopted by the Grand Lodge, substituting for "Stevenson's" work (adopted December 3849) "the so-called Prestonian System," as taught by Thomas Smith Webb;

And whereas, this action, at the close of the communication, when delegates from but thirteen Lodges were present, has failed to bind the subordinate Lodges; since most of them continue to attest, by use, their approval of Stevenson's work; and whereas, this change, hasty and ill-advised, was affected counter to known wishes of a large majority of the delegates to that communication, and mainly through the shrewd management of one F. N. Porter, accredited representative near this Grand Lodge, from the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire, who being a pedlar of Rob Morris' books, on the so-called Prestonian System, &c., was peculiarly and pecuniarily interested in foisting said work on this Grand Lodge, *Therefore*, in justice to Bro. Stevenson, and to secure *entire* uniformity of work for the good of the craft.

Resolved, That said resolution adopted on *Friday evening*, December 7th, 1860, is hereby rescinded, and the resolution of December, 5846, restored to full force and effect. WM. G. HILL.

The Committee on unfinished business made the annexed report which was adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee of unfinished business of the Grand Lodge, respectfully report that they have examined the proceedings of the Communication, and find on page 17, in the report of the Committee on Masonic jurisprudence, the following:

"Upon the case which has been reported to your Committee, as having occurred between Phœnix Lodge, No. 8, and St. John's Lodge, No. 1, it has been thought advisable to make no report to this Grand Communication, and request the Most Worshipful Grand Master to appoint a Committee, whose duty it shall be to examine the testimony—each Lodge being represented—and report to the next Grand Lodge.

They also find on page 18, the following:

"The Grand Master appointed brothers Alfred Martin and J. F. Green, as the Committee to investigate the complaint of Phœnix Lodge, No. 8, against St. John's Lodge, No. 1, as recommended by the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence."

It is evident that the report of this Committee, is order to be presented to this present Grand Communication.

They find nothing else in the proceedings of the last Grand Communication calling for their notice, unless some report is to be expected at this Communication from the Committee on St. John's College. See page —, of the Proceedings, all which is respectfully submitted.

FRANCIS H. WILLARD,
T. M. GARDNER,
J. W. WELLONS, } Committee.

The annexed report, submitted by Bro. Colton, was read and adopted:

Your Committee has had in consideration the subject matter of the communication from Phœnix Lodge, No. 8, and beg leave to report:

That they deem it unwise that there should be among us so many unaffiliated Masons, the more especially when they desire to connect themselves with Lodges and become active and useful. Many of these Masons are refugees from their former homes, and, owing to the peculiar character of of their departure thence were unable to obtain demits. It is now utterly

impossible for them to obtain such demits even it Lodges are working in the Location of their former homes.

We quote a resolution of the Grand Lodge, adopted 5551, as follows:

Now, is a fact well known and generally conceded, that common law does not intend or desire to demand from any one the accomplishment of an impossibility. The ear and eye of the Grand Master is the great beacon of Light to which every true Mason looks. Hence, if the Grand Master, after a careful survey of all the facts, deems it impossible for any brother to obtain a demit, your Committee submits that it is unmasonic that such Mason should longer be kept from the rights and benefits of a true member of the Lodge nearest where he now resides. Further, your Committee venture to express the opinion that it is impossible for any Mason, formerly a resident of any Northern State, or of any city, town or section now, and likely for some time to be, in the hands of the enemy, to obtain a demit; hence, that such Lodge is to him and his brother Masons of this Grand Lodge dormant; and therefore, for the benefit of all such, your Committee beg leave to present the following:

Resolved, That all unaffiliated Masons, refugees from their former homes—which former homes are in the hands of the enemy—may, by application to the Grand Master, and his certifying that, in his opinion, it is impossible for them to obtain demits, by showing evidence of true Masonic conduct, may become active and affiliated Masons in the Lodge where they are now nearest resident by paying the usual fees, and upon showing evidence satisfactory to said Lodge, shall be entitled to all the honors and titles they may have heretofore enjoyed.

HENRY E. COLTON,
CHAS. R. KING,
R. V. BLACKSTOCK.

The report on returns and proceedings of the subordinate Lodges, was adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North-Carolina:

Your Committee on Returns and Proceedings, beg leave to make the following report:

They have examined the returns of the following named Lodges, and find them correct: Fellowship, No. 84; Hanks, 128; Blackmer, 127; Logan, 121; Franklinton, 123; Marlboro', 177; Wayne, 112; Joseph Warren, 92; Morning Star, 85; Lincoln, 137; Adoniram, 149; High Point, 199; Deep River, 164; Radiance, 132; Mount Lebanon, 117; Wake Forrest, 97; Clinton, 124; King Solomon, 138; Stokes, 32; George Washington, 174; Mount Energy, 140; Greensboro', 76; New Light, 215; Kilwinning, 64; Fulton, 99; Hiram, 98; Holly Springs, 115; William R. Davie, 73; Sandy Creek, 185; Cane Creek, 213; Tuscarora, 122; St. Albans, 114; Phœnix, 8; Rolesville, 156; Belmont, 808; Phalanx, 51; Charity, 5; St. Johns, 96; American George, 17.

The following are wanting in date of Charter:

Rocky River, 159; Alamance, 133; Central Cross, 187; Clinton, 107; White Stone, 155; Cane Creek, 142; Mount Hermon, 182; Buffalo, 172; Cleveland, 202; Hiram, 40; Richland, 214; Pee Dee, 150; Mount Vernon, 133; Warren, 101; Townsville, 182; Pleasant Hill, 168; Eno, 210; Catawba Valley, 219; Columbus, 102; Blackmer, 170; Eagle Rock, 201; Roanoke, 203; New Salem, 209; Lafayette, 179; Winston, 167; Carey, 198; Pine Forest, 186.

The following are wanting in Seal and date of Charter: Beaumont, 160; Carolina, 141; Granite, 191; Fair Bluff, 190.

The following are wanting in date of Charter, Seal and form: Rock Rest, 161; Union, 173; Rockingham, 216; Pasquotank, 103.

The following the Seal and records destroyed by the enemy: Lafayette.

The following is wanting in form in every particular: Mount Moriah, 82.

Military Lodge, J. B. Avery, No. 1, wanting in seal.

Your Committee have been thus explicit in pointing out the defects and informalities of returns of the subordinate Lodges, with the hope that in the future the Lodges will be more careful in having their returns made out properly.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. J. ROUNTREE,
B. WALKER,
J. W. WELLONS, } Committee.

Called off until this evening, 7 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, 7 o'clock,
December 7, 1864.

The Grand Lodge called from refreshment to labor.

The Grand officers and delegates in their seats.

The Committee on Military Lodges reported the following Resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the subject of Military Lodges is respectfully referred to the Grand Master for his approval, and the committee ask to be discharged from further duty.

Brother Gardner presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the addresses delivered on the presentation of the Jewel presented to the Grand Secretary be printed, with the proceedings of the Grand Lodge.

Brother L. C. Riddle presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the dues from each of the subordinate Lodges working under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge, be raised to thirty dollars per annum, from and after this annual communication.

Brother Wm. G. Hill moved that the following resolution, adopted at the communication of the Grand Lodge of 1846, be rescinded, which was agreed to:

Resolved, That from and after this Grand Communication the subordinate Lodges make pay into the Grand Lodge Treasury, as an annual stipend, the sum of fifteen dollars: provided, that no Lodge be required to pay more than one dollar for each of its members.

Brother York submitted the following preamble and resolution, which were adopted:

WHEREAS, This Grand Lodge by a resolution of 1861, recommended the G. M. to issue dispensations to Military Lodges, and whereas the question of jurisdiction has been admitted; therefore, be it

Resolved 1st, That this Grand Lodge claim Masonic Jurisdiction over all troops belonging to the State of North Carolina, wherever they may be.

Resolved 2d, That no Military Lodge under the jurisdiction of this Grand Lodge shall have the power to confer the degrees upon any person other than such as by the laws of North Carolina are entitled to vote in the State elections held in the army.

The Report of the Committee on Expulsions and Suspensions read and adopted.

The Committee on Suspensions and Expulsions beg leave to submit the following Report:

1st. In the case of W. J. Jones, Granite Lodge, No. 191, we recommend that he be restored to membership, but be reprimanded in open Lodge. He has been under suspension for more than one year, and we do not think the offence requires an extension of the punishment.

2d. We recommend that the action of Pleasant Hill Lodge, No. 168, in the case of G. M. Cable, be confirmed.

3d. In the case of Hiram Hunter, Blackmer Lodge, No. 170, we think the sentence of the Lodge too severe, it being expulsion, and therefore recommend that the action of the Lodge be reversed, and that he be suspended for one year, at the end of which time he be reprimanded in open Lodge.

4th. We recommend that the action of Dan River Lodge, No. 129, in the case of David Matthews, be reversed, and he be suspended for six months.

5th. We recommend that the proceedings of Mocksville Lodge, No. 134, in the cases of W. Stonestreet and E. M. Godby, be returned for total informality of proceedings.

6th. In the case of W. Wimberly, George Washington Lodge, No. 174, and N. R. Watkins and F. J. Hartsfield, Rolesville Lodge, No. 156, we recommend that these cases be referred back to said Lodges for informality, and that they be instructed to inquire whether these brothers have been guilty of unmasonic conduct. These parties were by their respective Lodges expelled for desertion from the army, which, in the opinion of the Committee, is a political, and not a masonic offence. While we as citizens, express our entire condemnation of desertion, and deplore such conduct, whether by masons or the profane, we would recommend that for the future, subordinate Lodges do not attempt to deal with their members on the simple charge of desertion, "Although all the most ancient and universally received precepts of the institution inculcate obedience to the civil powers, and strictly forbid any mingling in plots or conspiracies against the peace and welfare of the nation, yet no offence against the State, which is simply political in its character, can be noticed by a Lodge." Once introduce this subject into the Lodges, and open the door for the introduction of politics and religion, subjects which are stringently forbidden to be introduced into Masonry, and we undermine the very foundation of our time-honored institution.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. J. STANLEY,
G. B. WATERHOUSE, } Com.
JNO. NICHOLS.

Bro. Salinas presented the annexed resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That authority be granted to Saint John's Lodge, No. 1, to confer the Master's degree on Bro. J. O. Boorg.

The Report on the Grand Master's Communication was read and adopted.

Your Committee on the Grand Master's Address beg leave to report:

That the pride and satisfaction of this Grand Lodge must be aroused by the prosperous condition of Masonry, which appears from the Grand Master's Address upon the state of the Order, and that they trust it will continue to grow, not only in numbers, but in perfection of work and purity of morals.

That the Grand Master's remarks urging Masons not to identify themselves as Masons, or in their Lodges, with any secret political order which has been, or may be introduced into this country, are worthy of our most careful attention.

That the subject of non-affiliated Masons is one which merits our careful attention, and some action of this Grand Lodge should be taken in regard to the number of non-affiliated Masons who crowd our towns, do not pay anything for the support of Masonry, and are ever ready to display themselves on public occasions, and when traveling it may be of benefit to them.

The official acts of the Most Worshipful Grand Master meet our approval, and the mild and impartial manner with which he has dispensed the duties of his office is worthy our highest praise.

We entirely concur with the Grand Master in the eloquent manner with which he has portrayed the beauties and benefits of Masonry.

In parting from him, we tender to him, for you, many years of usefulness, and that each recurring year may find him among us in genial brotherhood.

HENRY E. COLTON,
M. FETTER,
E. GRISSOM, } Com.

The Report on Accounts and Claims was read and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Accounts and Claims beg leave to report, that they have examined the accompanying accounts and find them correct.

Account of W. W. Holden, for printing	$30 00
Account of Methodist Book Store, for paper, etc.	24 50
Account of W. L. Pomeroy, for steel pens, etc.	10 50
	$65 00

All which is respectfully reported.

M. FETTER,
GEO. JOYNER,
J. W. CUNNINGHAM, } Com.

Bro. R. W. Best submitted the following resolution, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, Bro. Wm. B. Smith, of this city, has commenced the publication of a magazine "devoted to the interest of the Masonic Fraternity," and entitled "The Key Stone;" and whereas, a work of this kind is very much needed at this time by the craft throughout the Confederate States: therefore

Resolved, That this Grand Lodge recommend said work to the subordinate Lodges and the craft generally.

The annexed resolution was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Grand Lodge are due, and are hereby tendered to Bro. W. J. Palmer, and the officers associated with him, for the kind invitation they have extended to us to attend the public exercises of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind.

Bro. Colton submitted the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That Benjamin R. Russell, of Phœnix Lodge, No. 8, be restored to all rights and benefits of Free Masonry, in accordance with a petition from said Lodge to that effect.

Bro. David H. Stephenson introduced the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Grand Tyler be paid twenty-five dollars ($25) per day during the session of this Grand Communication.

On motion of Bro. Stanly, it was

Resolved, That the thanks of this Grand Lodge are due, and are hereby tendered to the officers of the same, for the faithful manner in which they have discharged their duties.

Bros. C. W. D. Hutchings, W. G. Hill and William T. Bain, were appointed the Printing and Publishing Committee.

Bro. S. Lander introduced the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Grand Lodge are hereby tendered to the Railroad Companies in the State. which have passed its delegates over their roads for half price,

The Grand Lodge having finished all the business submitted for its consideration was closed in ample form by the Most Worshipful Grand Master, until the first Monday in December, 1865, being the fourth day of the month.

WILLIAM T. BAIN,
Grand Secretary.

PRESENTATION OF THE MEDAL TO WM. T. BAIN, G. SEC.

Address of Bro. Mackey, Grand Secretary of South-Carolina:

My Dear Brother:—In a Masonic experience not, it is true, as long as yours, and yet sufficiently long to have afforded me many pleasing reminiscences, I know of none which will, in future years be more grateful to my memory than the transaction in which, by the kind partiality of your Grand Lodge, I have this evening been made an actor. Holding in my own jurisdiction an official position, similar to that which for many years you have so faithfully exercised in yours, I almost feel that I am, in some sort, the participator in the honor which is now bestowed upon you. It seems appropriate that the Grand Secretary of one State should be selected as the agent to express the sentiments of respect entertained by his brethren for the Grand Secretary of another, and a sister jurisdiction. I, at least, am able to appreciate the nature of the labors which, in your official character, devolve upon you—the industry and energy which are required for the faithful discharge of those labors—and the conduct which you must have pursued to have gained that respect and esteem, the evidence of which is this evening demonstrated.

Yours, my brother, must have been a happy life. For nearly a quarter of a century, the Masons of North Carolina have come up together at stated periods to renew their vows around our sacred altar—to legislate for the government of the order in their native jurisdiction—and to adopt those measures which should be conducive to the prosperity and healthy extension of our beloved institution. And at each anniversary they have brought with them the renewal of their respect and esteem for you as their Grand Secretary, and by repeated, unanimous, re-elections have testified their personal affection for you as a man, and their grateful sense of your fidelity as an officer. This long continued demonstration of their confidence is something of which you may well be proud.

When the illustrious architect of the metropolitan cathedral of England had been gathered to his last resting place, no splendid obelisk or stately urn was erected to point out the situation of his grave; but buried in the very centre of St. Pauls, that gorgeous pile which his skill and genius had erected, a plain marble slab alone indicated his tomb, but on its surface was inscribed these memorable words, "If you would behold his monument, look around you."

So you, too, need no written certificate of your character or of your service. Should any stranger, unacquainted with the industry, energy and fidelity with which, for so long a period, you have discharged the duties of your responsible and laborious office, ask for some evidence of your worth, you too might refer to the respect and esteem which your purity of life has won, and, pointing to these brethren who now, with warm hearts and kindly glances, are gazing on your venerable form, might proudly say, "If you want the testimony of my integrity and my usefulness look around you."

The medal which the Grand Lodge of North Carolina has ordered to be presented to you contains this significant legend: "We love those who love us: we honor those who have honored us." Yes, venerable brother, for more than a quarter of a century, you have demonstrated by your words and actions, a warm attachment to our sacred institution, and untir-

ing devotion to its welfare. And now the sons of those whom you first met in our hallowed courts, come up here this evening to return, with grateful feelings, a portion of that love which you lavished on their sires. And the Grand Lodge whom you have honored by the long and faithful discharge of one of the most important offices in its gift, now proclaims by this act in which we are engaged, how highly it honors and esteems the honest man, the upright Mason, and the faithful officer. The bread cast upon the waters, after many days has returned.

In the name and in behalf of the Grand Lodge of North-Carolina, and the craft which it represents, I present to you this medal as an offering of affection. May you long wear it with health, and intellect and usefulness unimpaired; and when, in the expressive symbolism of our Order, you shall in the pilgrimage of life have passed the *Southern* and *Western gates*, unconquered by the temptations which are there, you shall at length have reached the *Eastern gate*, and there been compelled to yield to the inexorable foe of our race, may death find you like "*the widow's son*," not unprepared for the great change which will await you. But may your disembodied spirit, called by the *Omnific Word* of the Grand Master of the universe, from the grave to which weeping brethren shall have consigned you, be permitted to unite with the true and faithful who have gone before you in the eternal refreshments of the Celestial Lodge.

To which Brother Wm. T. Bain, Grand Secretary, replied as follows:

My Dear Brother Mackey: I should certainly be guilty of an act of unpardonable ingratitude, if I were to refrain from expressing the feelings of my heart in accepting this beautiful and valuable token of the friendship and fraternal regard which my brethren of the Grand Lodge of my beloved State have shown towards me.

To say that I am thankful only, would be but a poor return for this unmistakable evidence of their kind and generous feelings. Yes, my brother, I can truly say that the gratitude I feel will be cherished in my bosom to the latest period of my life, to remind me of the many and multiplied favors and acts of kindness received at their hands. If I were to say that I have committed no errors in discharging the duties of my office, I might justly be accused of vanity and presumption, but I flatter myself with the pleasing reflection that my brethren will ascribe those errors to the imperfections of my nature, and not from any disposition on my part to shrink from the performance of those duties connected with the office of Grand Secretary.

For more than forty years I have had the honor of a connection with the Masonic Fraternity, and during that long period of time, I have endeavored to promote its interest and to act the part of a useful and acceptable member; and *here*, I hope, I may be indulged in submitting a few brief remarks on some of the excellent tenets of our Order.

Masonry may with much propriety be regarded as a moral institution, having among other objects a calm and dispassionate inquiry into the origin of man, his destiny on earth and his future state, that it may be ascertained as far as practicable, what he owes to his Creator, to society and himself.

Man was not placed on earth to live for himself alone.

The Author of existence has imposed imperative duties upon us, and we are not obeying the moral law if we fail to discharge those duties faithfully under all circumstances of life.

The cold headed misanthrope may presumptuously inquire what essential duties are made obligatory on us to discharge?

Christianity will readily answer the question by loudly calling upon us to feed the hungry, close the naked and to infuse comfort and consolation into the hearts of the afflicted and distressed; and Masonry at all times prompts us to act the Samaritan's part when objects of our pity and commiseration present themselves, claiming our benevolence and charity.

When he is inducted into the mysteries of Masonry, the candidate will readily discover without much effort of the mind, that its principles are closely connected with Christianity. He at once perceives that the degrees he has taken are founded upon that Book which the good and true Mason values above all others, and if he conforms to the requirements it imposes, he cannot fail to act the good Mason's part and receive the plaudits of Heaven.

Masonry may be said to be a language which is understood and spoken by the craft wherever dispersed, and it forms a common medium of communication among our brethren of all nations and tongues. In a strange land the good and true Mason finds, without much difficulty, a home in the hearts and houses of his brethren; and if he is in want, his wants are cheerfully supplied, and his heart is made to rejoice, that, although a stranger and far from home and friends, he is among those who claim him as a brother of the mystic tie.

It cannot be denied that in many ages of the world's existence, kings and princes, with others high in rank and power, have arrayed themselves against our beloved Order, but their wicked and malicious efforts to injure and destroy our usefulness, have fallen harmless at our feet; and we appear on the world's wide stage, clothed in all the majesty of our strength, power and influence. It may be also declared that the shafts of malice and vituperation have been hurled at our very vitals, to impair our energies and defeat our plans, to disperse Christian and Masonic principles among the nations of the earth; but with much pleasure and gratification we can say, that a period in our history has arrived when the tongue of slander and malice has been silenced, and we now stand on firmer and more substantial ground than we have occupied for many centuries past.

In closing these imperfect remarks, I beg to be permitted to return my sincere thanks and grateful acknowledgements to *you*, my much esteemed brother, for the very kind and flattering manner in which you have been pleased to present this memorial of the undiminished friendship of those much honored and beloved *ones* with whom I have spent many happy and pleasant hours in by gone days. May prosperity and happiness accompany you and them through life; and when you shall be summoned to exchange time and all earthly things, for a long and never ending eternity, may you all be received into the GRAND LODGE above, where the Supreme Architect of the universe presides in all His glory and splendor, there to enjoy uninterrupted happiness and peace in the haven of eternal repose.

AMOUNT OF DUES RECEIVED FROM WILLIAM T. BAIN, GRAND SECRETARY, PAID BY THE SUBORDINATE LODGES FOR 1864.

Saint John's Lodge,	No.	1,		$15 00	
Royal White Heart,	"	2,	1863, and '64,	30 00	
Charity,	"	5,		20 00	
Unanimity,	"	7,	1862, '63, and '64,	45 00	
Phœnix,	"	8,		15 00	
American George,	"	17,		15 00	
Phalanx,	"	31,		15 00	
Stokes,	"	32,		15 00	
William R. Davie,	"	37,		15 00	
Hiram,	"	40,		15 00	
Liberty,	"	45,		15 00	
					215 00
King Solomon,	"	56,	1863 and '64,	30 00	
Widow's Son,	"	75,	1863 and '64,	30 00	
Greensboro',	"	76,		15 00	
Mount Moriah,	"	82,		15 00	
Fellowship,	"	84,		15 00	
Morning Star,	"	85,		15 00	
Enfield,	"	88,	1861, '62, '63 and '64,	60 00	
Joseph Warren,	"	92,		15 00	
Jerusalem,	"	95,		15 00	
Wake Forest,	"	97,		15 00	
Hiram,	"	98,		15 00	
					240 00
Fulton,	"	99,		15 00	
Warren,	"	101,		15 00	
Columbus,	"	102,		15 00	
Pasquotank,	"	103,		30 00	
Belmont,	"	108,		15 00	
Wayne,	"	112,	1862, '63 and 64,	45 00	
Saint Albans,	"	114,		15 00	
Holly Spring,	"	115,		15 00	
Mount Lebanon,	"	117,		15 00	
					180 00
Mount Hermon,	"	118,		15 00	
Tuscarora,	"	122,		15 00	
Franklinton,	"	123,		15 00	
Clinton,	"	124,		15 00	
Mill Creek,	"	125,		15 00	
Blackmer,	"	127,		15 00	
Hanks,	"	128,		15 00	
Dan River,	"	129,		15 00	
Radiance,	"	132,		15 00	
Alamance,	"	133,		15 00	
Mocksville,	"	134,		15 00	
					165 00
					$800 00

	Amonnt brought forward,			$800 00
Leaksville Lodge,	No. 136, 1862, '63 and '64,	$45 00		
Lincoln,	" 137,	15 00		
King Solomon	" 138,	15 00		
Mount Energy,	" 140,	15 00		
Carolina,	" 141,	15 00		
Cane Creek,	" 142,	15 00		
Mount Vernon,	" 143,	15 00		
Taylor,	" 144,	15 00		
Palmyra,	" 147,	15 00		
Adoniram,	" 149,	15 00		
Pee Dee,	" 150,	15 00		
			195 00	
Chalmers,	" 151,	15 00		
Rolesville,	" 156,	25 00		
Knap of Reeds,	" 158,	15 00		
Rocky River,	" 159,	15 00		
Beaumont,	" 160,	75 00		
Rock Rest,	" 161,	15 00		
Yadkin,	" 162,	15 00		
Deep River,	" 164, 1863 and '64,	30 00		
Archer,	" 165,	15 00		
Winston,	" 167,	15 00		
Pleasant Hill,	" 168,	15 00		
Blackmer,	" 170,	15 00		
			265 00	
Delk,	" 171,	15 00		
Buffalo,	" 172,	15 00		
Union,	" 173,	15 00		
George Washington,	" 174,	15 00		
Marlboro',	" 177, 1861, '62, '63 and '64,	60 00		
Lafayette,	" 179, 1863 and '64,	30 00		
Caldwell,	" 180,	15 00		
Carthage,	" 181,	15 00		
Dourasville,	" 182,	15 00		
Sandy Creek,	" 185,	15 00		
Pine Forest,	" 186,	15 00		
			225 00	
Central Cross,	" 187,	15 00		
Fair Bluff,	" 190,	15 00		
Granite,	" 191,	15 00		
Burnsville,	" 192, 1863 and '64,	30 00		
Cape Fear,	" 194,	15 00		
Falkland,	" 196, 1862, '63 and '64,	45 00		
Carey,	" 198,	15 00		
High Point,	" 199, Balance,	20 00		
Eagle Rock,	" 201,	15 00		
Cleaveland,	" 202,	15 00		
Roanoke,	" 203,	15 00		
Long Creek,	" 205,	15 00		
Mongo,	" 206,	15 00		
			245 00	
				$1,730 00

Amount brought forward,				$1,730 00
New Salem Lodge,	No. 209,		25 00	
Eno,	" 210, 1863 and 64,		30 00	
Ashland,	" 211, for 1864,	$15 00		
Ditto,	" " in advance, '65,	30 00		
			45 00	
Industrial,	" 212,		15 00	
Crane's Creek,	" 213,		15 00	
Richland,	" 214, 1863 and '64,		30 00	
New Light,	" 215,	$15 00		
	Certificates,	6 00		
			21 00	
Rockingham,	" 216,		15 00	
Catawba Valley,	" 217,		15 00	
				211 00
Balfour,	" 188, 1863 and '64,		30 00	
				30 00
				$1,971 00
Charter for W. G. Hill Lodge,			$20 00	
do	Jefferson Lodge,		20 00	
do	Stokesburg Lodge,		20 00	
do	Webster Lodge,		20 00	
do	Tabernacle Lodge,		20 00	
do	County Line Lodge,		20 00	
do	Haw River Lodge,		20 00	
do	Wilson Lodge,		20 00	
do	Jonesville Lodge.		20 00	
				180 00
				$2 151 00
Dispensation for Corinthian Lodge,			$10 00	
do	Gunter Lodge,		10 00	
do	McDowell Military Lodge,		10 00	
do	William G. Hill Lodge,		10 00	
				40 00
10 Certificates for Royal White Heart Lodge,			5 00	
40 Extra copies of Proceedings for Fellowship Lodge, No. 84,			20 00	
5 Extra copies or Proceedings for Sandy Creek Lodge,			3 00	
20 Diplomas for Fulton Lodge, No. 99,			10 00	
				38 00
				2.229 00
Overrun,				22 00
				2,251 00
Deduct for Charters,			$9 00	
do	Dispensations,		3 00	
do	Diplomas,		8 00	
				20 00
				2.231 00

	Amount brought forward,		$2,231 00
	Dispensation for Atlantic Lodge, Currituck County,	10 00	
	Deduct for Grand Secretary's fee,	1 00	
			9 00
			$2,220 00
Feb. 22.	Mount Olivet Lodge, No. 145, for dues,		15 00
			2,235 09
Feb 24.	Dispensation for Henderson Lodge, Ganville Co.,	10 00	
	Deduct Grand Secretary's fee,	1 00	
			9 00
			2,244 00
'eb. 24.	Dues from Scotch Ireland Lodge, No. 154,	15 00	
	10 Copies of Grand Lodge Proceedings, for New Salem Lodge, No. 209,	5 00	
			20 00
			$2,284 00

SUBORDINATE LODGES

WORKING UNDER THR JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA FOR 1864.

St. John's	Lodge,	No.	1,	Wilmington, New Hanover County,	
Royal White Hart	"	"	2,	Halifax, Halifax	do
St. John's	"	"	3,	Newbern, Craven	do
Charity	"	"	5,	Windsor, Bertie	do
Unanimity	"	"	7,	Edenton, Chowan	do
Phœnix	"	"	8,	Fayetteville, Cumberland	do
American George	"	"	17,	Murfreesboro', Hertford	do
Phalanx	"	"	31,	Charlotte, Mecklenburg	do
Stokes	"	"	32,	Concord, Cabarrus	do
William R. Davie	"	"	37,	Lexington, Davidson	do
Hiram	"	"	40,	Raleigh, Wake	do
Liberty	"	"	45,	Wilksboro', Wilkes	do
King Solomon	"	"	56,	Jackson, Northampton	do
Concord	"	"	58,	Tarboro', Edgcombe,	do
Perseverance	"	"	59,	Plymouth, Washington	do
Kilwinning	"	"	64,	Wadesboro', Anson	do
Eagle	"	"	71,	Hillsboro', Orange	do
Widow's Son	"	"	75,	Camden C. H., Camden	do
Greensboro'	"	"	76,	Greensboro', Guilford	do
Sharon	"	"	78,	Greenville, Pitt	do
Zion	"	"	81,	Trenton, Jones	do
Mount Moriah	"	"	82,	Statesville, Iredell	do
LaFayette	"	"	83,	Jacksonville, Onslow	do
Fellowship	"	"	84,	Smithfield, Johnston	do
Morning Star	"	"	85,	Nashville, Nash	do
Enfield	"	"	88,	Enfield, Halifax	do
Skewarkee	"	"	90,	Williamston, Martin	do
Western Star	"	"	91,	Rutherfordton, Rutherford	do
Joseph Warren	"	"	92,	Stantonsburg, Wilson	do
Jerusalem	"	"	95,	Hookerton, Greene	do
St. John's	"	"	96,	Kinston, Lenoir	do
Wake Forest	"	"	97,	Dunnsville, Wake	do
Hiram	"	"	98,	Clinton, Sampson	do
Fulton	"	"	99,	Salisbury, Rowan	do
Warren	"	"	101,	Kenansville, Duplin	do
Columbus	"	"	102,	Pittsboro', Chatham	do
Pasquotank	"	"	103,	Elizabeth City, Pasquotank	do
Orr	"	"	104,	Washington, Beaufort	do
Perquimans	"	"	106,	Hertford, Perquimans	do
Clinton	"	"	107,	Yanceyville, Caswell	do
Belmont	"	"	108,	Bear Swamp, P. O., Duplin	do
Franklin	"	"	109,	Beaufort, Carteret	do
St. John's	"	"	110,	Smithville, Brunswick	do
Wentworth	"	"	111,	Wentworth, Rockingham	do
Wayne	"	"	112,	Goldsboro', Wayne	do
Person	"	"	113,	Roxboro', Person	do

St. Albans	Lodge,	No. 114,	Lumberton, Roberson	County,
Holly Springs	"	" 115,	Holly Springs, Wake	do
Mt. Lebanon	"	" 117,	Wilson, Wilson	do
Mt. Hermon	"	" 118,	Asheville, Buncombe	do
Logan	"	" 121,	Jamestown, Guilford	do
Tuscarora	"	" 122,	Oxford, Granville	do
Franklinton	"	" 123,	Franklinton, Franklin	do
Clinton	"	" 124,	Louisburg, Franklin	do
Mill Creek	"	" 125,	Newton Grove, Sampson	do
Sunsbury	"	" 126,	Gatesville, Gates	do
Blackmer	"	" 127,	Clark's Creek, Montgomery	do
Dan River	"	" 129,	Madison, Rockingham	do
Conoho	"	" 131,	Hamilton, Martin	do
Radiance	"	" 132,	Snow Hill, Greene	do
Alamance	"	" 133,	Graham, Alamance	do
Mocksville	"	" 134,	Mocksville, Davie	do
Black Rock	"	" 135,	Black Rock, Brunswick	do
Leaksville	"	" 136,	Leaksville, Rockingham	do
Lincoln	"	" 137,	Lincolnton, Lincoln	do
King Solomon	"	" 138,	Long Creek, New Hanover	do
Mount Energy	"	" 140,	Tranquility, Granville	do
Carolina	"	" 141,	Carolina College, Anson	do
Cane Creek	"	" 142,	Snow Camp, Alamance	do
Mount Vernon	"	" 143,	Goldston's P. O., Chatham	do
Taylor	"	" 144,	Belle Voir, Chatham	do
Junaluska	"	" 145,	Franklin, Macon	do
Cherokee	"	" 146,	Murphy, Cherokee	do
Palmyra	"	" 147,	Averasboro', Harnett	do
Adoniram	"	" 149,	Young's ⋈ Roads, Granville	do
Pee Dee	"	" 150,	Norwood's Store, Stanly	do
Chalmers	"	" 151,	Carbonton, Moore	do
Mount Carmel	"	" 153,	Scott's Hill, New Hanover	do
Scotch Ireland	"	" 154,	Mount Vernon, Rowan	do
White Stone	"	" 155,	Wakefield, Wake	do
Rolesville	"	" 156,	Rolesville, Wake	do
Mount Pleasant	"	" 157,	Rogers' Store, Wake	do
Knap of Reeds	"	" 158,	Knap of Reeds, Granville	do
Rocky River	"	" 159,	Mudlick, Chatham	do
Beaumont	"	" 160,	Beaumont, Chatham,	do
Rock Rest	"	" 161,	Hadley's Mills, Chatham	do
Yadkin	"	" 162,	Yadkinsville, Yadkin	do
Deep River	"	" 164,	Foust's Mills, Randolph	do
Archer	"	" 165,	Creechville, Johnston	do
Saint Paul's	"	" 166,	Beatty's Bridge, Bladen	do
Winston	"	" 167,	Winston, Forsythe	do
Pleasant Hill	"	" 168,	Patterson's Store, Alamance	do
Blackmer	"	" 170,	Reem's Creek, Buncombe	do
Dalk	"	" 171,	Coleraine, Bertie	do
Buffalo	"	" 172,	Buffalo P. O., Moore	do
Union	"	" 173,	Kernersville, Forsythe,	do
Geo. Washington	"	" 174,	Lassiter's ⋈ Roads, Chatham,	do
Pollocksville	"	" 175,	Pollocksville, Jones,	do
Mecklenburg	"	" 176,	Dav'd College, Mecklenburg	do
Marlboro'	"	" 177,	Marlboro', Pitt	do

Siloam	Lodge,	No.	178,	Harrel's Store, New Hanover County.	
LaFayette	"	"	179,	Leasburg, Caswell	do
Caldwell	"	"	180,	Chapel Hill, Orange	do
Carthage	"	"	181,	Carthage, Moore	do
Townesville	"	"	182,	Townesville, Granville	do
Centre Grove	"	"	183,	Summerfield, Guilford	do
Jordan	"	"	184,	Reynoldson, Gates	do
Sandy Creek,	"	"	185,	Laurel P. O., Franklin	do
Pine Forest	"	"	186,	Harrington's Harnett	do
Central Cross	"	"	187,	Peach Tree Grove, Nash	do
Balfour	"	"	188,	Ashboro', Randolph	do
Taylorsville	"	"	189,	Taylorsville, Alexander	do
Fair Bluff	"	"	190,	Fair Bluff, Columbus	do
Granite	"	"	191,	Stalling's Depot, Johnston	do
Burnsville	"	"	192,	Burnsville, Yancey	do
Cape Fear	"	"	194,	Elizabeth Town, Bladen	do
Mount Olivet	"	"	195,	Browers' Mills, Randolph	do
Falkland	"	"	196,	Falkland, Pitt	do
Cherokee	"	"	197,	Grogansville, Rockingham	do
Carey	"	"	198,	Carey P. O , Wake	do
High Point	"	"	199,	High Point, Guilford	do
Pisgah	"	"	200,	Hendersonville, Henderson	do
Eagle Rock	"	"	201,	Eagle Rock, Wake	do
Cleaveland	"	"	202,	Shelby, Cleaveland	do
Roanoke	"	"	203,	Weldon, Halifax	do
Berea	"	"	204,	Berea, Granville	do
Long Creek	"	"	205,	Hopewell, Mecklenburg	do
Mingo	"	"	206,	Draughn's Store, Sampson	do
Lebanon	"	"	207,	Whiteville, Columbus	do
Mount Olive	"	"	208,	Mount Olive, Wayne	do
New Salem	"	"	209,	New Salem, Randolph	do
Enoe	"	"	210,	Durham's Depot, Orange	do
Ashland	"	"	211,	Mount Airy, Surry	do
Industrial	"	"	212,	Company Shops, Alamance	do
Crane's Creek	"	"	213,	Crane's Creek, Moore	do
Richland	"	"	214,	Thomasville, Davidson	do
New Light	"	"	215,	New Light, Wake	do
Rockingham	"	"	216,	Rockingham, Richmond	do
Catawba Valley	"	"	217,	Morganton, Burke	do
W. G. Hill	"	"	218,	Raleigh, Wake	do
Jefferson	"	"	219,	Jefferson, Ashe	do
Stokesburg	"	"	220,	Walnut Cove, Stokes	do
Webster	"	"	222,	Elevation, Johnson	do
Tabernacle	"	"	223,	Gilmer's Store, Guilford	do
County Line	"	"	224,	County Line, Davie	do
Haw River	"	"	225,	Summerfield, Guilford	do
Wilson	"	"	226,	Olin, Iredell	do
Jonesville	"	"	227,	Jonesville, Yadkin	do

RETURNS.

STATE OF THE LODGES

Working under the Jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, which made Returns at the Communication of 1864.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 1, WILMINGTON.

Officers.—A. A. Hartsfield, W. M.; H. H. Roberts, S. W.; E. W. Manning, J. W.; L. C. Turner, Treasurer; M. H. Woodhull, Secretary; T. M. Gardner, S. D.; J. O. Bowden, J. D.; B. J. Jacobs, Tyler.

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Residents not Members.—L. D. Wallace, A. Empire, G. R. French, R. S. McCumber, B. Hallett, J. F. Post, R. Strange, Jno. Nutt, M. McInnis, J. Casseday, Geo. O. Van Amringe, A. P. Refiton, S. N. Cannon, W. N. Peden, W. D. Smith, T. H. Howey, R. Morris, S. R. Bunting A. McRae, Sr., A. McRae, Jr., J. T. Schonwold, C. D. Ellis, W. G. Thomas, T. W. Brown.

Initiated 25; passed 26; raised 21; rejected 26; ex-expelled 1; admitted 5; withdrawn 2; died 2; residents not members 24; whole number 133.

Regular time of meeting, last Thursday of each month.

ROYAL WHITE HEART, No. 2, HALIFAX.

Officers—James M. Grizzard, W. M.; James H. Prince, S. W.; Wm. D. Faucett, J. W.; Geo. W. Owens, Trea.; Wm. W. Daniel, Sec.; Chas. N. Webb, S. D.; A. Stephenson, J. D.; T. G. Lowe, Chaplain; John O'Brien, Tyler; E. A. Pearson, Jas. L. Ousby, Stewards.

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Initiated 4; passed 2; withdrawn 4; died 3.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday in every month.

CHARITY, No. 5, WINDSOR.

Officers—Wm. P. Gurley, W. M.; Burril B. Russell, S. W.; Wm. G. Rhodes, J. W.; James L. Mitchell, S. D.; Charles J. Moore, J. D.; Wm. P. Mitchell, Sec.; John S. Shepperd Trea.; Joel Grizzard, Tyler.

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Resident not Members—Zebulon L. Simmons, Cyrus Waters, Thomas W. Skirwin.

Initiated 2; passed 2; raised 3; withdrawn 2; died 2; residents not members 36; whole No. 36.

Regular time of meeting, second Monday of all the months except March and September, 3d Monday of March and September, and the anniversary of St. John the Divine and St. John the Evangelist.

PHŒNIX, No. 8, FAYETTEVILLE.

Officers.—George Lauder, W. M.; Rich. W. Bruff, S. W.; James G. Cook, J. W.; Warren Prior, Treas.; A. M. Campbell, Sec.; Wm. P. Wemyss, S. D.; Silas Shetz, J. D.; David Wemyss, Tyler.

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Resident not Members.—T. J. Curtis, Geo. McNeill, E. J. Hall, E. Glover, H. Erambert, W. Murphy, D. Cashwell, E. J. Hines, J. Q. McPherson, Jas. Davis, J. C. Alred, A. W. Walker, — Hale, — Moses, — Blackburn, E. W. Hines, N. A. Stedman, J. C. Poe, W. T. Horne, B. F. Fessenden, H. E. Colton, D. G. McRea, W. Jones, Thos. J. Owen, M. T. Taylor, W. T. Rhodes, J. W Landford, Wm. Bell, Jas. McGilvary, T. S. Barrett, W. J. Anderson, A Murdock, John Gee.

Initiated 15; passed 15; raised 15; rejected 20; died 3; residents not members 33; resident Masons excluded for non-payment of dues 16; whole number 160.

Regular time of meeting, first and third Friday Evenings in every month.

AMERICAN GEORGE, No. 17, MURFREESBORO'.

Officers—F. M. Capehart, W. M.; John P. Lee, S. W.; H. C. Madrey, J. W.; G. D. Parker, Sec.; Jos. J. Vaughan, Trea.; Willis R. Warren, Tyler.

Members—Wm. P. Beaman, Dr. R. H. Worthington, Jas. M. Wynns, Jas. S. Flythe, A. W. Moore, Eli Carter, C. L. Britt, William Jones, Willis Beal, J. H. Majett, Dr. J. W. Hutching, John Slaughter, T. M. Forbs, D. C. Gatling, Dr. Wm. E. Pool, Dr. R. H. Worthington, Jr., H. J. Jenkins, M. L. Ewer, Thos. E. Matthis, Dr. Jos. P. Jordan, James Anderson D. Beal, W. P. Roberts, R. Majett, H. M. Britt, John Baker, D. D. Stockston, Wm. Downing, T. H. Evens, Jethro Willey, Richard Baker, George W. Sandlin, Wm. D. Briant, Thomas H. Wynn, J. M. C. Luke, John Wilson Harrell, John Hoggard, Henry S. Britton, George H. Mitchell, John W. Pool, Dr. J. C. Shannon, A. J. Harrell, Oris Parker, King Parker, John E. Jones.

Residents not Members—L. M. Cowper, E. Johnson, J. A. Vinson, Wm. H. Darden, Wm. J. Majett, H. Griffith, Wm. T. Bynum, H. Francis, E. A. Martin, Alex. Brett, R. S. Parker, T. J. Deans, Jesse Darden, W. L. Hargroves, A. Vinson, G. C. Moore, E. D. Britt, L. Eley, Chas. Vann, Samuel Moore, John A. Vann, J. Jordan, R. H. Shields.

Initiated 25; passed 25; raised 25; admitted 1; withdrawn 5; residents not members 23; resident masons excluded for non-payment of dues 6; whole No. 74.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday night in every month.

PHALANX, No. 31, CHARLOTTE.

Officers—S L Riddle, W M; T W Dewey, S W; W F Windle, J W; H M Phelps, Trea.; R K Gregory, Sec.; J Berryhill, S D; C J Alexander, J D; J Colderon, Tyler; John Wadsworth, A Barnhart, Stewards.

Members—S J Lowrie, G C Cathey, Jonas Rudasill, R G McLain, Thomas Trotter, F M Ross, Daniel Asbury, C Overman, L S Williams, Robt Shaw, E H Andrews, J W Osborn, R M Robinson, H G Springs, Alex Graham, D L Ray, Wm Johnson, John P Ross, S H Walkup, John M Potts, M L Wriston, H M Phelps, Robt H Maxwell, F Hoorah, J M Saunders, A R Barnhart, Saml N Stowe, Asa Chilson, C H

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Residents not Members—Dr Wm W Gregory, Wm Phifer, T D Gillespie, Wm Johnson, John Clenney, John H Myers, Joshua Sikes, Merritt Moore, J A Suares, J A Fisher, S P Alexander, A A McAffee, Wm F Davidson, R F Davidson, Levi Drucker, D Elias, R J Echols, John A Towers.

Initiated 36; passed 27; raised 22; rejected 7; admitted 7; died 3; residents not members 18; whole number 83.

Regular time of meeting, second Monday in each month except June and December, and in those months on the 24th and 27th.

STOKES, No. 32, CONCORD.

Offiers.—L. S. Bingham, W. M.; J. C. H. Burkhead, S. W.; J. M. Long, J. W.; W. A. Patterson, Treas.; C. A. Caldwell, Sec.; Wm. M. Coleman, S. D.; P. S. Deaton, J. D.; Wm. A. Wright, Tyler.

Members—Daniel Coleman, C N White, A J Yorke, M S Bost, J N Brown, P A Correl, J D Frazier, G G Smith, E R Gibson, J P Gibson, J A Gibson, T P Coleman, D R Coleman, J C Benson, P A Smith, C F Harris, K P Harris, Jos Young, R W Allison, Jno McDonald, Jno Sloop, R F Erwin, Cyrus W Alexander, Jacob V Peythel, J L Bost, E M Correl, J J Cross, J L Shinn, Sam Neister, Sam L Erwin, I A Fitzgerald, F M Henderson, Jno B Moss, Jno A Patter-

son, Rev J Rumple, Rev Wm M Kilpatrick, G W Kestler, W F Phifer, L R Rose, C W Bradshaw, T J Eagle, Daniel Cool, J W Fisher, J F A Mellon, S W Bracken, F A Archibald, M L Barringer, Jno W Gorman, W L D Benson, D A Caldwell, V W Kestler, A J Bagget, C R Martin, J D Erwin, A M Wilhelm, Wm H Fitzgerald, James C Gibson, J C Miller, J M Alexander, J M Carter, Richard S Harris, Wm M Eudy, James Gougar.

Residents not Members—Robt Pender, Amos Harvey, Jas K Baughn, — Shepherd, M S Sloop, J J Colman, C S Partee, T V White.

Initiated 22; passed 13; raised 13; rejected 8; admitted 1; died 2; residents not Members 8; whole No. 92.

Regular time of meeting, Friday night of each week.

W. R. DAVIE, No. 37, LEXINGTON,

Officers—Geo Riley, W M; J P Stimson, S W; W Lindsay, J W; A C Hege, Treasurer; R S Aderton, Sec; D W Wagoner, S D; T F Grimes J D; T C Ford, Tyler.

Members—J M Leach, A D Montgomery, Bennet Nooe, Herem Brummel, Henry C Rounceville, D F Henderson, Joseph Molsinger, John A Holt, James S Bledger, S J Pigott, Lewis Gumb, Tomas Semmons, James V Symmons, J L Johnson, A H Marsh, Jacob Motsinger, Richard Jordan, A C Rigen, C D Hampton, W C B Leonard, William N Thomas. James Haden, J A Sowers, Franklin Fritts, J H Shelton, J H. Adams, J A Clodfetter, C M Payne, R L Payne, George Fritts, W B Marsh, John Primm, J A Cornish, Jacob Berier, J F Adams, R L Holmes, J T Fitsgerald, D F Fritts, J W Williams, J H Grimes, William P Ford, John Mikle, W B Hamner, H L Conrad, William Simerson, William Turner, A H Workman, Lewis Hiliard, T W Redwine, David Smith, Henry Hege, W F Stoner, H H Conrad, Valentine Leonard, R T Carnhardt, A J Trentham, Eben Merrill.

Residents not members—R A King Tenant, Eli Benby.

Initiated 41; passed 40; raised 39; rejected 12; admitted 1; resident not members 2; whole No. 65.

Regular time of meeting, first Friday in each month.

HIRAM, No. 40, RALEIGH.

Officers—John Nichols, W M; S M Parish, S W; Josiah Jones, Sec; Drury King, Trea; Anderson Betts, J D; J M Betts, Tyler.

Members—Thos W Bell, Wm T Bain, J G Brummell, J W Cosby, J J Christophers, Thomas Carter, Eli Dupree, Burton Dupree, Alvin Dupree, M Grausman, A M Gorman, C W D Hutchings, P M, Jas M Harris, Dr Wm G Hill, P M, Wm H High, Albert Johnson, Abram Kline, W J Lougee, Wm E Lee, David Lewis, Jonas Matthews, Jas A Moore, John H Murrell, P F Pescud, J M Pool, E E Rigon, R E Reams, Eldridge Smith, W D Williams, P M. O P Copeland, W H Laughter, Emory Burns, Kassimer Cook, Samuel G Dupree, Henry Mahler, A S Thompson, W J Eddins, D G Fowle, M D Britt, D W Bain, J A Walton, Harris Vaughan, L H Adams, Elberry Britt, B F Walton, W M Brown, H A Badham, E B Thomas, W D Williams, Jr, Michael Bowes, Thompson Lynch, D W Allen, L E Heartt, John W Cole, Isaac Oettinger, Burwell Bell, Jr, C D Christophers, C W Williams, J Q A Barham, E Hunt, G B Waterhouse, W C Roberts, Josiah Broadwell, J C Marcom, Wm G Upchurch, W W Crawford, A S Lee, L W Robinson, T McGee, Thos E Steele, D P Meacham, J H Separk, L D Stephenson, J L Britt, Calvin Betts, Ira Beckwith, T H Brame, Wm E Anderson, B F Benton.

Residents not Members—J W Johnson, E O Macey, Geo W Norwood, T J Holt, D A Wicker.

Initiated 15; passed 15; raised 16; rejected 14; admitted 3; withdrawn 10; died 3; residents not members 5; whole number 85.

Regular time of meeting, third Monday of each month, except June and December: then on the days of St John the Baptist and St John the Evangelist.

LIBERTY, No. 45, WILKESBORO'.

Officers—H H Dent, W M; C R S Simpson, S W; Wm G Hix, J W; E M Welborn, Trea; A B Dancy, Sec; J N Hayes, S D; F D Welborn, J D; Wm L Johnston, Tyler.

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Residents not Members—Major John Finley, Gen S F Patterson, Col H A Brown, Major L Hickerson, Robt Allen, Wm Martin, Rev Wesley Reynolds.

Initiated 27; passed 22; raised 20; rejected 12; died 1; residents not members 7; whole number 53.

Regular time of meeting, Friday night on or before the first full moon in each month: on Tuesday night of every Court week, and on the festivals of the two Sts. John.

KING SOLOMAN, No. 56, JACKSON.

Officers—Noah Odom, W M; Wm Grant, S W; Jas W Newman, J W; John B Motley, Treas; F M Spivey, Sec; S Boyce, S D; G D Holliman, J D; Wm B Knight, Tyler.

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Initiated 5; passed 5; raised 5; withdrawn 1; died 2; residents not members 17; whole No. 48.

Regular time of meeting 1st Saturday evening of every month.

KILWINNING, No. 64, WADESBORO'.

Officers—S W Neal, W M; John Boylin, S W; Arch Nevin, J W; W P Kendall, Treas; J C McLaughlin, Sec; E F Kendall, S D; A B Cason, J D; E Hutchinson, Tyler; Rev J B Richardson, Chap; John P Ratliff, C B Lindsey, Stewards.

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Residents not members—S V Simons, Jos White.

Initiated 43; passed 41; raised 38; rejected 15; withdrawn 1; died 7; residents not members 2; whole No. 145.

Regular time of meeting, second and fourth Mondays in each month.

WIDOW'S SON, No. 75, JONESBORO'.

Officers—Thos Palmer, W M; W B Ferebee, S W; Jos Spencer, J W; Geo W Spencer, Sec; Samuel Tillit, Treas; Thos J Ethridge, S D; John M Forbes, J D; Walter R Forbes, Tyler.

Members.—H Baxter, Jas Chamberlin, Dr Wm H Cowell, E S Dozier, B Duncan, Luke Gregory, Jas M Gregory, R R Gurkin, A Galloss, S Gregory, T C Humpris, J Halsted, J G Hughes, Jas S Jones, J B Lee, L P Morrisett, W McPhurson, W S Mercer, W C Mercer, M S Morrisett J D Morrisett, E Sarryer, T Sanderlin, D L R Sanders, J Sasanger, W Sanderlin, D L Tillett, C P Walston, Jas Wilson, S P Wilson, W C Gordon, J C Tatum, J L Chamberlin, Wm R Overton, N Jones, A P Cherry, S Bright, H Whitehurst, N B Upton,

E Overton, J C Ruttler, J C Roby, C G Spence, N J Overton, T R Spence, P G Morrisitt, J M. Forbes, A Keaton, H C Bright, J N Hinton, W. McPherson, Jas McPherson, W Booths, Dr T S Wash, N Mullen, M Taylor, J N Overton, J D Gordon, M R Gregory, J M Forbes, Jno S Burgiss, C W Kellinger, Dr R C Perkins, J Sanderlin, N G Grandy, J S Davis, Jno F Gray, D M Spencer, W E Brothers, J W Morrisett, W C Dawson, Jas Mercer, O McPherson.

Initiated 16; passed 13; raised 10; admitted 3; died 3; residents not members 10; whole number 99.

Regular time of meeting 3d Saturday of each month.

GREENSBORO', No. 76. GUILFORD.

Officers.—J W S Parker, W M; G H Parker, S W; W E Edwards, J W; C S Morse, S D; J H Tarpley, J D; J M Ward, Treas; D N Sherwood, Sec; Wm Collins, Tyler.

Members.—Peter Adams, G M Adams, D E Albright, G M Albright, O Boon, J B Balsley, D M Bennet J H Buchanan, P M Coble, A P Coble N G Cryer, Jno Cryer, C Curtis, J K Curtis, J H Coble, Dr G Z F Cummings, R W Cole, Dr. J L Cole, A L Clark, W A Coe, J P Coe, R L Coultrain, J C Clendenin, J S Crossett (F C) Peter Clapp, (E A); J G Causey, (F C); W S Clark, Rev C F Deems, T Davis, J P Denny, R W Denny, R P Dick, F A Dowler, John Eudy, J F Erwin, Wm D Edwards; A B Gardner, G Gardner, Dr R W Glenn, E T Garrrett, Dr D P Gregg, J S Geringer, J A Houston, N A Hanner, J F Hughes, C V Hanner, W D Hardin, J C Hunter, Dr H H Hunter, E B Higgins, J A Hanner, Jno Hiatt, N Hiatt, J P Hawley, W S Hawley, B D Johnson, J F Jollee, Jas Kirkman, D N Kirkpatrick, R Y Kirkman, D W Kirkman, D Kirsey, P Thurston, J Thornburg, Wm Tate, J R Tucker, W G Tucker, W C A Frerichs, J W Watson, S White E J Watson, D A Wolff, W Wilson, E J Wade, J R Watson, H Suits, Lewis Jolley G M Isely, W R Heath, T F Patrick, Rev J Bethel, George Foust, Rev. M L Wood, C M Tucker, W F Lane, Dr W H Moore, J W Pearce, G W Plunkett, W D Ross, A

H Scott, An Summers, Dr R Sockwell, Dr S B Semmons J S Scott, H H Sharpe, J L Sullivan, T I Sandridge, J Sears, L Summorill, J A Sloan, M S Sherwood, J A Steward, A P Sperry, C A Sperry, S D Springs, J N Simpson, W C Smith, J R McLean, S D McLean, B H Fields, C S Moring, J B Marsh, E O Macy, R W Macy, H H Prather, A Whittington, J W Wharton, J W Weathery, T W Wiley, Rev C W Westbrook, J R Wilkinson, W M Young, A Clapp, H F Wiley, J D Donnell, Saml Walker.

Residents not Members—J Collier, J T Dodson, R Gorrell, Joab Hiatt, C P Mendenhall, L Swaim, D Scott, Rev N H D Wilson, H Maurice, J Hildeshiemer.

Initiated 33; passed 45; raised 43; rejected 23; admitted 1; withdrawn 4; died 2; residents not members 10; whole number 146.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday night in each month, and on Tuesday night of each County and Superior Court.

LAFAYETTE, No. 83, JACKSONVILLE.

Officers—E W Ward, W M; A J Murrill, S W; J B Frazel, J W; W E Burns, Treas; A J Johnston, Sec; Benj Greer, Tyler.

Members—E W Montfort, E W Fonville, B Fonville, L O Fonville, James R Fonville, F S Humphrey, E Murrill, Jr, J F Murrill, J H Foy, L O Henderson, D A Humphrey, J E Shivar, W P Pelletier, J O Frazel, Jonas Jones, W. E Shivar, J N Sanders, Hill King, O Huggins, R S McLean, E F B Koonce, Straton Burton, S W Venters, S Gornto, J F Mattocks, G N Ennett, W T Ennett, R F Pelletier, C J Mattocks, A F Farnell, M L F Redd, W B Hansley, D N Cox, W H Hurst, L W Humphrey, E W Sanders, C S Hewett, John Cook, E Beasly, C Huggins, J M Scott, James Bryan, C B Glover, J J Ellis.

Residents not members—A J Hurst, Sr, Seth King, W. J King, L W Harger, W J Hill.

Initiated 2; passed 3; raised 4; rejected 1; residents not members 5; whole No. 55.

Regular time of meeting, second Saturday in each month.

FELLOWSHIP, No. 84, SMITHFIELD.

Officers—Wm H Avera, W M; A Holland, S W; Seth Woodall, J W; S R Morgan, Sec; Josiah Strickland, Treas; Wm H Joyner, S D; James R Whitley, J D; F T Phillips, Tyler.

Members—Wyatt Earp, Ray Philips, Edward Sanders, N L Whitley, Dr A F Telfair, Dr J G Rose, McNab Earp, Jno T Cobb, Jno Smith, K B Whitley, Jno R Coats, Wm P Raiford, A G Wellons, Rev B B Culbreth, Wm H Cullom, Zach Hill, D L Avery, W A Smith, B A Wellons, W J Barrow, P T Massay, W H Morning, R D Whitley, Parrot Creech, Turner Joynar, C Radford, H B Watson, Rev P J Caraway, Perry Godwin, Jno H Cotton, D W Boykin, J T Pike, Capt E A Boykin, H H Alford, H Barber, Moses Stancil, Jno W Hodges, James H Parker, L D Bailey.

Residents not Members—P Richardson, J L Rhem, L Eldridge, Jno E Allen, Jas M White, Jno R Thompson.

Initiated 17; passed 20; raised 19; rejected 16; withdrawn 8; died 4; residents not members 6; resident Masons excluded for non-payment of dues 1; whole No. members 47.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday in each month.

MORNING STAR, No. 85, NASHVILLE.

Officers—B H Sorsby, W M; R D Wells, S W; R Dawtry, J W; W Colson, Treas; J J Q Taylor, Sec; J P Tillory, S D; E H Cockrell, J D; W W Weaver and G W Cooper, Stewards; R B Griffin, Tyler.

Members—John E Lindsey, B H Vester, J W Vester, Wm P Sledge, J J Bunn, Willis Barbee, W W Parker, A J Taylor, L J Hooper, Dr N J Pitman, Jesse Beal, Willie H Cooper, S J Batchelor, W B Bergeron, W Rintfro, Sidney Bunn, Dr John G F Drake, N W Cooper, A G H Cooper, B H Joyner, Calvin Cooper, N W Arrington, Jr., W W

Manning, Willis Warren, L N B Battle, B Daniel, J H Edwards, Dr John H Winstead, T H Scott, D W Williams, B H Blount, J R Griffin, S H Griffin, H H Griffin J H Drake, J P Jenkins, J W Barrett, J J Drake, T C Vick, Isaac V Cockrell, J W M Stone, E L Cure, J J Cockrell, J H Hunter, James B Williams, James H Beal, John N Batchelor, G R D Winstead, Eli M Manning, W H Battle, H H Arrington, Jeremiah Johnson, John A Ricks, G W Arrington, M L Lunnel, John W Griffin, J T Wells, G Coggin, D E Summer, H A Whitley.

Initiated 25; passed 22; raised 22; rejected 6; withdrawn 1; died 8; whole number 70.

Regular time of meeting, fourth Saturday in each month.

JOSEPH WARREN, No. 92, STANTONSBURG.

Officers—J J Bynum, W M; J C Applewhite, S W; R A Ellis, J W; G W Stanton, Treas; Jonathan Applewhite, Sec; J T Graves, S D; W J Exum, J D; Willie Smith, Tyler.

Members—Thos F Davis, Jno A Lane, E G Pippin, J J Overman, Thos J Applewhite, W E Yelverton, R C Bardin, Wm Bardin, F J Becton, Henry Bryant, W L Randolph, W J Exum, J N B Vick, A J Finlayson, Hardy Summerlin, B H Lane, R W Langston, W A Duggan, J L Hardy, Z M L Peacock, R W Yelverton, Bryant Minshew, Elias Bass, Gabriel Lane, Jno Carter, A J Ellis, Jessee Sauls, William Sauls, Martin Sauls, Jno Wilkinson, Henry Martin, C C Peacock, J P Rogers, Gray C Harriss, Wm Turner, Isaac Barden, Calvin B Hicks, Daniel R Thompson, A Q Upchurch, J T Weaver, Berry Crocker, B B Sauls, W N Summerlin, W H Applewhite, F M Moye, J E Davis, Stephen Woodard, J J Scott, H G Yelverton, Wm P Applewhite, B F Briggs, Wash Barnes, Joseph Sauls, Wm R Bass, Bryant Little, Mordica Bass, Wm T Outland, W L Edwards, Nathan Hales, S B Lane, N V Peele, L D Killett, G W Lane, Henry Pope, R H Holland, J B Peacock.

Initiated 26; passed 26; raised 26; rejected 6; withdrawn 1; died 5; whole No. 74.

JERUSALEM, No. 95, HOOKERTON.

Officers—J M Partrick, W M; F M Rountree, S W; Irvin Jones, J W; J Pittman, Treas.; S D Pope, Sec.; H F Granger, S D; T E Hooker, J D; N A Hooker, Chap.; S T Smith, Tyler.

Members—Ashley A Allen, R D Warren, Ruffin Granger, John W Harper, W J Pope, Jesse Hart, John H Coward, Samuel G Abbott, S W Ormornd, W T Dixon, Franklin Thomas, J L Canada, Noah Ablem, Washington Summel, Calvin Tucker, D McMonroe, Wm H Rountree, C J Rountree, John W Dixon, John J Ormornd, W F Edwards, John H Joyner, Jesse T Davis, Edmond Brooks, D A Hill, J Q Jackson, Titus Carr, Jesse Nelson, J T Albritton, W J Tuton, J E F Harper, D A Spivey, John Grizard, W F Williams, Josephus Pittman, S R Harper, D W Edwards, J W Wolvin, E F Cox, J Grinsley, J T Dixon, J S Taylor, S B Wilson, S T Smith, Haywood Jones, Barney Phillips, T E Hooker, W B Hooker, F M Pittman, H H Farrest, F R G Taylor, Wm C Loftin, Waett Churchwell, Seth Gaskins.

Residents not Members—Jonathan J Granger, E R Coward, Joel Patrick, Joseph Dixon.

Initiated 12; passed 13; raised 12; rejected 8; expelled 1; admitted 1; died 4; residents not members 4; whole number 46.

Regular time of meeting, 2d Saturday in each month.

ST. JOHN'S, No. 96, KINSTON.

Officers—Samuel H Rountree, W M; William W Dunn, S W; Edward H Dill, J W; Jesse Jackson, Treas.; Francis M Harper, Sec.; William G Taylor, S D; Levi A Mewborn, Jr, J D; Warren Kilpatrick, Tyler; John H Stevenson, Elias F Albritton, Stewards.

Members—Jas T Askew, L H Aldridge, H F Bond, P M., Dr H W Blount, Dr Jas B Bryan, Dr Wm C Brown, Rev E A Best, Spencer Brooks, J I Coleman, Wm Cannon, Wm A Croom, Council H Clark, E F Cox, C L Davis, J S Davis, R

E Davis, J G Davis, L Friend, A Harvey, T A Heath, J M Hines, H A Thompson, T A Harvey, Jesse Kemp, L H Sutton, Lovitte Lewis, J L Cox, L B Cox, E Wooten, T J Hill, J T Brown, J B Cummings, J P Hardee, N Hunter, John Jackson, G W Jones, George A Jackson, W A Jones, S B Kilpatrick, Dr J M Kilpatrick, L A Mewborn, Sr, L H Mewborn, L J Mewborn, W A Pugh, D H Philips, R W Pope, B F Parrott, J M Parrott, B F Phillips, J Parks, J F I Sutton, Wm Sutton, S I Sutton, H R Strong, S W Scarborough, S B Taylor, J E Taylor, A W Taylor, R B Taylor, L Kilpatrick, T J Presson, G W Venters, Rev J B Webb, J Warters, B C West, Dr T A Woodley, Edward Williams, W H West, J Wilkins, S B West, I K Witherington, M Harvey, R R Bryant, I Williams, H R Byrd, W J Smith, R J Byrd, F R Smith, T F Warters, Wm F Rountree, B F Sutton, Jr, D W Dill, G A Richardson, T Sutton, George Gray, C Gray, W S Sumerell, L B Hardee, H B Turner, Arch Cox, A J Brown, D J Long, S E Hodges, S J Carrow, L A Mewborn, Jr, T F Jackson, Charles Clark, Elias F Albritton.

Residents not Members—L C Desmond, P Hardee, R W King, J G Herring, R J Powell, R Wallace, J B Stanley, R F Green, J G Stanley, A Wilson, O S Dewey, W H Reddit.

Initiated 41; passed 39; raised 38; rejected 21; withdrawn 2; died 2; resident not members 12; whole No. 118.

Regular time of meeting, second and fourth Wednesdays in each month and 24th June and 27th December.

WAKE FOREST, No. 97, DUNNSVILLE.

Officers—G B Allen, W M; Jas S Ray, S W; J B Lassiter, J W; P Dunn, Treas.; J H Bell, Sec.; T Yeargin, S D; T Robertson, J D; W T Brooks, Chap.; J W Wadford, Tyler; James Bolton, W L Fort, Stewards.

Members—E E Gill, G W Norwood, Dr T Hicks, H P Gill, J R Cooper, G M Allen, J Xeargin, Rev Jas Purefoy, W L Terrell, J Weathers, Huston Honeycutt, Ashiel Craven, J H Norwood, H L Ray, H A Murrell, Wm B Allen.

Residents not Members—T Pullen, J R Dunn, Dr J B Dunn, L W Robertson, P A Dunn, J Hunter, J D Powell.

Initiated 3; passed 3; raised 3; rejected 1; withdrawn 1; residents not members 7; whole number 28.

Regular time of meeting, 2d Friday in each month.

HIRAM, No. 98, CLINTON.

Officers—S B Killett, W M; John Vann, S W; H McAlpin, J W; A B Chesnutt, Treas.; M P Owen, Sec.; C P Johnson, Tyler.

Members—J Armstrong, G W Armstrong, G W Autry, A M Blackburn, J A Bizzell, J R Beaman, W H Boykin, C C Boney, A Bullard, A B Chesnutt, H R Caison, J D O Culbreath, M B Crumpler, J A Darden, C W Ezzell, H J Hobbs, G W Hall, J R Harris, A N Johnson, J C Kirby, H McAlpin, A N Matthews, R A Moseley, G W Moseley, B S Owen, B Matthews, M P Owen, E B Owen, W T Owen, J A Oates, D L Brock, T L Pugh, A S C Powell, L A Powell, C Patrick, H H Register, L H Rich, D Smith, J R Smith, J Vann, J J Vann, M White, W H Herring, W Williamson, C T Stevens, J H Stevens, J T Fort, O L Chesnutt, A W Denning, C P Johnson, O W Williams, H Honeycutt, W Honeycutt, H Vann, W A Matthews, R M Crumpler, G W Marsh, J Herring, J D Pearsall, J A R Howard, W F Smith, H Smith, J E Parker, B Parker, A C Peterson, J W Stokes, W H Johnson, G W Hobbs, J H Turlington, O S Yarborough, Amos Royal, T B Matthews, W W Herring, L J Hall, L Johnson, Hiram Honeycutt, J W Roberts, F Cooper, R A Parker, R K Pearson.

Residents not Members—O H Johnson, E Peterson, W D Peterson, L C Graves, P B Troublefield, J K Smith, H A Bizzell, E Bass, J Moore, T Moore, J M Moseley, J Bass, James King, J T Molton, T J Faison.

Initiated 24; passed 23; raised 23; rejected 24; expelled 1; died 4; residents not members 15; whole number 79.

Regular time of meeting, third Friday in each month.

FULTON, No. 99, SALISBURY.

Officers—Luke Blackmer, W M; Martin Richwine, S W; Chas. D Smith, J W; Benj F Fraley, Treas.; John F Moose, Sec.; Jas Slater, S D; D R Newsom, J D; A W Buis, Tyler.

Members—J M Brown, A W Buis, D A Davis, Jas H Enniss, B F Fraley, R E Love, Wm Lambeth, E Myers, M S McKenzie, A M Nesbitt, Wm Overman, C L Partee, W Rowzie, John J Shaver, J J Sumerell, M Whitehead, O Woodson, J A Weirman, J F Chambers, Jas W Clark, H S Gorman, C D Smith, A G Holder, R H Smith, L Blackmer, J A Davis, H Murdock, Jas Slater, A J Mock, W Murdock, J Steel, Jac Correll, J B Farriss, F C Schafer, W L Saunders, J M Coffin, C A Henderson, Rowan Slater, M S Sloop, R H Broadfield, W M Willhelm, R S Moran, R P Bessent, J F Moose, J E Moose, L C Groseclose, C Gordon, Jas C Lowe, John L Lyerly, Wm Myers, B F Crossland, S Galloway, A B Shepperson, N R Windsor, Jno H Enniss, D R Newsom, W R Wilson, John O Brian, John K Leitch, E P Haglier, S E Linton, W J Mills, E G Blackmer, L Mitchell, M F Hunt, M A Smith, J Sowers, J Close, J J Wilson, J F Shirley, C D Freeman, W Smithdeal, S R Harrison, G N Folk, J J Spann, J H Merriman, Joseph Henderson, C H McKenzie, A G Breniyer, J A McConaughey, W H Kester, George Kerns, E D Sneed, W T Shinn, D Kerns, W R S Burbank, G W Latham, H P Allen, O Kerns, W H Montgomery, B Marsh, F M Y McNeely, J W Hall, F M Finch, H G Kellogg, M F Alexander, H McCoy, L M Davis, J W Jones, W H Howerton, John B Upsher.

Residents not Members.—Jas C Turner, Wm Baily, S Frankford, J T Rumple, John A Holt.

Initiated 52; passed 52; raised 49; rejected 8; admitted 8; withdrawn 1; died 3; residents not members 5; whole No. 115.

Regular time of meeting, 1st Friday night of every month, 27th of June and December, and Tuesday of each Court week.

WARREN, No. 101, KINANSVILLE.

Officers—John D Southerland, W M; Kader Bryan, S W; Jonathan Chesnutt, J W; John W Hinson, Treas.; Geo A Newell, Sec.; D J Middleton, S D; David Brown, J D; John W Swinson, Tyler; R J Pearsall, D Mallard, Stewards.

Members—Thos J Carr, E Southerland, H Grimes, T S Watson, J D Stanford, O R Kenan, J E Hussey, H G Maxwell, A H Parker, W B Middleton, Wm Farrior, D M McIntire, G W Middleton, R M Middleton, M W Brown, J A McArthur, G A Southall, W A Allen, R J Pearsall, D T McMillan, Jacob James, John Howard, J B Southerland, W J Newell, J J Forlaw, David Farrior, Jas J Davis, Anthony Davis, D M Pearsall, Horace Winders, F G Simmons, R S Chesnutt, B Witherington.

Residents not Members—J B Kelly, J Murray, J Maxwell, Hiram Newell, T J Kinnier, A T Stanford, Jas G Branch, J H Judge, Jonathan Murray, John W Hall.

Initiated 15; passed 16; raised 16; rejected 1; admitted 2; residents not members 10; resident masons excluded for non-payment of dues 7; whole number 43.

Regular time of meeting, Saturday before the second Sabbath in each month.

COLUMBUS, No. 102, CHATHAM.

Officers—William Gunter, W M; Robert Hatch, S W; H H Burk, J W; J W Hatch, Treas.; Wm F Foushee, Sec.; C A Boon, S D; J T Malory, J D; J C Dennis, Tyler, R C Cotton and Jos Thompson, Stewards.

Members—W P Taylor, P M; John W Taylor, P M; James P Taylor, P P; J W Hatch, P M; Wm S Gunter, P M; N A Ramsey, P M; W L London, R J Hatch, F M Gunter, Jos Thompson, J F Bland, W A Taylor, J C Tyser, Wm G Eubanks, Wm F Berry, Wm H Tysen, J J Crump, L Rogers, S D Adams, J A Thompson, T B Gunter, A Boon, H A Sikes, S L Brown, J E Eubanks, J A Hanks, J S McClenahan, J J Knight, Wm A Nash, W T Fox, John Neal, Wm Hathcock, J J Jackson, W Harris, H H Hatch,

I Long, J Q A Leach, A Eubanks, Sr, R G Eubanks, A Eubanks, Jr, J A McDonal, Wesley Pendegrass, Wm Pendegrass, R C Cotton, Jr, J W Hackney, J M Ellington, Jos Roper, O Newlin, O S Poe, Wm N Poe, Willis Poe, J J Taylor, Wm McClenahan, J W Tinnin, Jos B Martin, C B Clegg, Wm S Ramsey, A F Richardson, J W Wright, J Sanders, E B King, W J Sloan, M Johnson, Robert Johnson, B Johnson, J A Alston, A G Markes, O M Neal, Thomas Webster, R E Petty, J R Malory, Wm H Hatch, C L Brown, W J Rollins, Jos Thomas, Wm J Womble, S T Womble, G P Moore, Stephen Moore, N Melton, G W Dismukes, W W Dismukes, H Earp, James A Parham, J W Boon, G W May, S M Holt, A Petty, Ed Long, N Coplin, Wm G Bland.

Residents not Members—David Murden, J Hardin, — Cowin.

Initiated 26; Passed 25; raised 24; withdrawn 4; died 5; residents not members 3; whole No. 94.

Regular time of meeting, first Tuesday in every month and Tuesday night of every Court and the anniversaries of the St Johns.

PASQUOTANK, No. 103, ELIZABETH CITY.

Officers—Dr Jos Commander, W M; John Benbury, S W; Jas Forbes, J W; S Weisel, Treas.; S D Cartwright, Sec.; John Palin, S D; J Asher, J D; G E Sampson, Tyler.

Members—Dr R K Speed, W B Reid, E Berry, J B Dyer, W W Burgess, A H Burcher, Frank Vaughan, M Sanderlin, Jr., C Trueblood, C W Grandy, Jas W Hinton, W W Williams, T Gray, Jos Simmons, F A Brother, B F Miller, Dr J T P C Cohoon, Martin W Cobb, Wm E Vaughan, P C Williams, F J Murden, Jas R Doughtie, Wm E Mann, James Hobbs, Wm Banks, B B Tatem, J L Ball, Jos Palin, P D Sikes, B F Keaton, M Pritchard, Lemuel Jackson, F M Godfrey, Wm Stager, R R Smithson, John M Hinton, V Knight, A L Butt, M W Fatherly, E J Wilson, W G Lamb, Jos Bronson, Wm F Murden, John H Zeighler, Jas M Morgan,

F C., Elisha Harris, F C., Jas W Vaughan, F C., C B Brothers, E A., A W Morgan, E A., W A Newbold, E A.

Residents not members—John C Eheringhaus, John S Burgess, Dr P A R C Cohoon, J B Fearing, Wm H Clark, R White, T Hunter, B B Tisdale, C M Lavertz.

Regular time of meeting, second Saturday evening in each month, Monday nights of Court weeks, and Sts. John's days.

CLINTON, No. 107, YANCEYVILLE.

Officers—C D Vernon, W M; A A Pattello, S W; Thos H Hatchett, J W; L Fels, Treas.; W H Pattillo, Sec.; G Rosenthal, S D; A Fels, J D.

Members—C D Vernon, R Ferguson, F A Wiley, W P Watlington, J W Cobb, C R Rice, J S Graves, S B Blackwell, W G Blackwell, S B Cobb, F C Dobson, S S Harrison, F Graves, F Warren, G W Pinnix, J T Ware, S Rice, T W Graves, W H Rice, J M Jones, W R Neal, John Kerr, E B Withers, S A Badgett, John W Gunn, Thos J Stephens, Nat Ware, H Harralson, G A Featherston, E W Gunn, W M Loyd, A Slade, C W West, B S Carter, T J Watlington, J M Swift, A S Williamson, W J Totton, R Maynard, J C Griffith, John D Wemple, W F Butler, N M Roan, A B Walker, D Y Murphy, W A Dameron, S F Murray, W H Henderson, A Walker, N W Lyon, J W Williamson, G W Gunn, C Sledge, W P Foster, T B Adkins, A Fels, W N Shelton, M Harralson, John E Robertson, B Y McAden, A G Henderson, M W Norfleet, R W Lauson, Jr, L B Henderson, G N Graves, J S Roberts, C G Lea, W H Hatchett, W H Womack, W H Chiles, W H Holderness, B Harralson, H Hubbard, W C Ferrill, J W Lea, W S Williamson, W G Graves, N S Henderson, J G Lea, J S Park, J M Poteat, W H Gatewood, E Edwards, J H Totten, S H Thaxton, R B Harrison, W L Page, F J Dennis, J F Morris, L Walker, Q T Anderson, J Hutcheson, H Malone, C W Ryles, J L Kersey, J L Goodson, H W Reinhart, J W Hatchett, A G Womack, E Slade, G D Turner, R F Gwynn, T J Foster, J F White, W A Carter, H E Hodges, R H Price, T Ray, T L

Blackwell, Jr, J E Bailey, W D Hall, G T Goodson, J R Warren, W L Terrell, W P Hooper, W A Turner, V B Womack, T J Parrish, B A Boswell, W L Saunders.

Residents not Members—Jas K Lea, Geo Williamson, Dr B Brown, G M Griffin, A Willis, J C Harvey, R J Carraway, Dr. S E Bracken, E Graves.

Initiated 15; passed 18; raised 18; rejected 13; withdrawn 2; died 5; residents not members 9; whole number 136.

Regular time of meeting, second Saturday evening each month.

BELMONT, No. 108, DUPLIN.

Officers—J R Ezzell, W M; Jas F Shine, S W; A G Moseley, J W; M Moore, Treas.; J R Hurst, Sec.; D Bowden, S D; D B Newten, J D; H J Johnson, Tyler.

Members—Jas W Blount, D Bowden, S Hill, T B Hill, D B Newten, W M Williamson, J R Hurst, D Wright, D K Kornegay, W Southerland, Jas Williams, C Bradley, H F Murphy, D Cobb, J R Ezzell, D F Jones, J F Shine, L W Hodges, J G Jackson, J R Hatch, J F Watkins, H Sikes, A G Moseley, W M Boyetto, J C Kelleth W J Moore, J W Grice, H Best, N Fredrick, M Moore, Jas Holingsworth, E A Yeates, M Giles, J N Best, R R Bill, R T King, W Graddy, A M Faison, A A Boyetto, J M Millard, H Stephens, J Rivenbark, T J Hering, W J Brown, J T Barden, O B Morisey, J T Hillett, J F Ireland, W G B Hurst, C A Thompson, H D Lewis, John W Blount.

Residents not Members—B C Bowden, C D Hill, W E Hill, T Bright, H W Faison, D Oats, Joel Taftin, B F Cobb, A R Hicks, H R Hurst, J G Dickson, C Thompson, F B Millard, R W Millard, M C Blount, T R Loftin, T F Williams, A Guy, S R Ireland.

Initiated 22; passed 20; raised 20; rejected 1; restdents not members 19; whole No 71.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday in each month.

WAYNE, No. 112, GOLDSBORO'.

Officers—W F Kornegay, W M; John B Griswold, S W; Nathan Adams, J W; T A Granger, Treas.; Thos H Allen, Sec.; M D Crayton, S D; W H Finlayson, J D; T D Erwin, Tyler.

Members—J J Baker, Jesse Bizzell, C A W Borden, J C Borden, W H Borden, L S Baker, Needham B Cobb, Bryan W Cobb, John Cameron, G W Collier, D C Carrington, W E Davis, John W Davis, John T Ederton, R T Fulghum, R J Gregory, W B Gulick, Jonathan Garris, John W Ham, A H Humphrey, Lewis Hummell, F Hummell, R D Holt, W F Haines, J C Justice, John T Kenneday, John McLeod, J C McRae, William Carraway, Wm T Gardiner, T T Hollowell, R P Howell, W W Nichols, John H Powell, Levi Pelletier, L G Pearsall, John G Parker, F C Patrick, William Robinson, John A Richardson, Richard A Newsom, John Simpkins, S Satterwhite, John Spelman, H F Smith, Wm A Thompson, J L Tew, J B Whitaker, H H Willis, B C Wood, E A Wright.

Residents not Members.—John E Becton, Wm C Hunter, Daniel A Powell, Charles F Dewey, Thomas Loring, Richard Washington, Thomas Warters.

Initiated 27; passed 27; raised 26; rejected 10; admitted 2; residents not members 7; whole No. 59.

Regular time of meeting every Monday night.

PERSON, No. 113, ROXBORO'.

Officers.—J W Hunt, W M; W H Smith, S W; W P Wilkins, J W; J Drumwright, Treas.; A R Foushee, Sec.; J T Fuller. S D; J Younger, J D; J T Critcher, Tyler.

Members—E G Reade, Dr C H Jordan, John Baird, J J Ellison, C S Winstead, John Barnett, John A Barnett, Thos H Nelson, Chesley Hamlin, Rev W R Webb, B B Link, Jas Barnett, R A Tonan, A H Lunsford, John C VanHook, Edwin Whilefield, William Moore, J W Pearce, John Jones, Jas H Woody, Ro B Trinn, Solomon O'Briant, J W Philpot, John A Bailey, Jas M Burton, Ro E Brewer, Thos A Wiles,

William H Malone, Jas W Villines, John D Wilkerson, R H Cearnal, John Newton, M L Webb, Jas T Yancey, Ro C Harris, W P Harris, A Barnett, David K Reid, J C Bailey, (dead,) Hardy Hurdle, Ro Holloway, A J Bumpass, W Loy, H A Reams, L G Hopkins, John C Dixon, Smith Humphries, Jesse D Walker, Jas L Brooks, John King, Wm G. Baird, Wm A Bradsher, Jr, (dead,) Wm A Brooks, Wm Holloway, Nathan Fox, A J Hester, L H Blackard, Camp Barnett, J W Cuningham, Thos Stokes, L C Smith, W R Neal, T S Wilkerson, A C Woody, W C Day, Jas R Day, C G Mitchell, Wm G Stanfield, Wm T Blackwell, Henry Carver, Jno H Burton, Monroe Cash, Alex Norwood, T J Horner, Sam A Barnett, E Ramey, Dolphin Briggs, P C Farrar, J W Brooks, J B Pleasants, A M Latta, Jas G Norwood, Wm E Wagstaff, J B. Wagstaff, C M G Wagstaff, J H Harriss, H M Paylor, W A Bradsher, Sr, C Williams, H Satterfield, H Woods, B B Brooks, A Jones, J Rogers, C Jones, G B Pearce, Geo W Henry, J L Timberlake, Joel Sweaney, Lyney Dixon, (dead,) O J Kenneday, R H Dickerson, T K Glenn, Ruffin Woody, John B. Glenn, (dead,) Saml S Moore, Barnett Moore, Ro S Davie, B P Wagstaff, Dr. W M Terrell, Thos B Hargis, D M Baird, A M Gray, J M Snead, Benj T Tingen, Nathaniel Walker, Ro W Williams, Geo W Burch, Stephen W Glenn, Jonathan Terrell, Samuel Winstead, John D Lea, J W Lunsford, William B Jones, Dr C H Bradsher, S C Barnett, John A Baird, James D Baird, W F Reade, Rev J P Moore, Rev T W Moore, Albert Yarbrough, (dead.)

Residents not Members—A R Moore, G B Southerland, Jno C Dickens, T T Satterfield.

Initiated 85; passed 82; raised 82; rejected 4; withdrawn 1; died 4; residents not members 4; whole No. 135.

Regular time of meeting, 3d Saturday in each month.

ST. ALBAN'S, No. 114, LUMBERTON.

Officers—William A Dick, W M; T N Bond, S W; N A McLean, J W; James Blount, Treas.; John R Carter, Sec.; W F French, S D; Rev N M Ray, J D; A Lawson, Tyler.

MEMBERS—John W Alford, J M L Alford, J H Atkinson, M McN Alford, J A Barnes, Henry Bullock, Jr, Robt Byrd, Wm J Brown, Robt Birthright, A D Brown, F Broadwell, W B Blake, Dr J B Brown, Thomas Barker, Chas Bullock, Calvin Black, J C Barnes, J H Caldwell, C Crugg, J A Davis, R S French, P M., A H Fulmore, Benj L Floyd, J M Freeman, J H Freeman, C Godwin, A P Gage, John T Harrington, Calvin Johnson, Benj Inman, J L Inman, Henry Lammon, John C Moore, Hector McNeill, Hector McNeill, Jr, J J McLauchlin, Alex McMillan, G W McKay, N Q McLeod, Elias Mitchell, Angus McPhail, A H McLeod, W P Moore, P M., J B McRae, R J Millsaps, Murdock McRae, H J McLean, D P McEachern, D M McCormic, Dr David McBryde, Rev McNair, W S Norment, H F Pitman, J T Petteway, Isham Pitman, John McN Powers, J A Rowland, P M., Alex Rowland, J H Richardson, Dr John Regan, Rev N M Ray, M F Sealy, N T Sealy, R Steagall, G M Summerell, John P Smith, David Townsend, J W Townsend, R W Taylor, L W Thompson, N A Thompson, John Williams, Eli Wishart, P M., D A Wood, Dr W Williams, F M Wishart, John Walker, Dr S B Morisey, A H Moore, Edward Kernes, Asa Heistand, James S McQueen, P P Smith, L B Godwin.

RESIDENTS NOT MEMBERS—T A Norment, M E McNeill, F R McNeill, W S Fowlkes, E K Proctor, G W Daffron, Rev P H Scovill, S W Bennett.

Initiated 22; passed 18; raised 15; rejected 1; admitted 1; residents not members 8; whole number 110.

HOLLY SPRING, No. 115, WAKE.

OFFICERS—Wm H Stinson, W M; J L Johnson, S W; J M Jones, J W; A S Utley, Treas.; S M Utley, Sec.; A Leslie, S D; S W Holland, J D; J W F Rogers, Chap.; Isaac Hunter, Tyler.

MEMBERS—J H Adams, G W Atkinson, A N Betts, R M Brown, Allen Betts, A J Blanchard, A B Betts, A K Clements, W W Clements, W J Clements, W J W Crowder, Eli Carter, Thos Dupree, Nat Dupree, David Fuquay, W H

Franks, J Gardner, John Gardner, E Langston, H O Lashley, Rev J C Marcom, J A McLean, Ira Olive, L Penny, Young Penny, G H Parker, Jas Rogers, A E Rowland, T J Utley, S J Utley, M C Utley, B S Utley, T D Trulove, S Trulove, John A Senter, Ing Spence, Wm Senter, S A Smith, J B Stedman, W R Stephenson, D H Stephenson, D Y Stinson, N A Spence, D H Smith, D. D Senter, Rev T G Whitaker, R H Whitaker, G H Williams, O T Williams, J M Rowland, W W Johnson, A E Smith, Lynn Banks, F Edwards, J T Adams, J G Burt, H W Langston, W H Rowland, J H Collins, S C Booker, B Grimes, G Booker, W Utley, A T Stevens, D L Adams, Jesse Winborn, J D Ballentine, Green Sexton, M McN Hollaway, W M Ballentine, James A Burt S M Williams, T H Wray, J B Myatt, J B Strain, W Senter, J H Burt, G J Allison.

Initiated 28; passed. 28; rejected 12; admitted 5; died 4; whole number 88.

Regular time of meeting, Saturday before the 4th Sabbath in each month, June and December excepted, then on the 24th and 27th.

MOUNT LEBANON, No. 117, WILSON.

Officers—L D Fanner, W M; C J Rountree, S W; Wm Hinnant, J W; Willie Daniel, Treas.; Dr W J Bullock, Sec.; W A Duggan, S D; Jacob Fiedler, J D; G W Barefoot, Tyler.

Members—Jas H Armstrong, J W Aycock, Jas W Barnes, Saml J Barnes, Thos R Bass, Ruffin Barnes, Jacob H Barnes, B H Burden, Jas J Braswell, John R Batts, Alfred Boykin, C C Bonner, R H Baker, D W Barnes, J H Barnes, Haywood Biggs, R H Blount, R G Barham, J P Barden, John Coleman, R W Clayton, P P Clark, R M Cox, J T Dew, A R Davis, T C Davis, J W Dunham, J B Elliott, Hackney Eatman, Jos Barber, John G Williams, W D Fanner, J J Taylor, Josiah Fanner, A D Fanner, B E Fanner, A Fanner, S B Fanner, S Fountain, Hugh Gallagher, Bennett Gay, T H Griffin, G H Griffin, W T Gay, J J Hales, E H Hooper,

R W Hines, J S Holt, R Hinnant, R D Johnston, Emerson Joyner, W G Jordan, A S Mendenhall, Edmond Moore, B H Lancaster, Silas Lucas, Jesse Pitman, Warren Pitman, H D Patton, W L Qualls, J H Rentfrow, J H Riggan, D P Shallington, R A Savage, A J Simms, J W Smith, J J Taylor, Jas Tomlinson, Perry Taylor, Thos Tomlinson, W T Taylor, Dr C A Thomas, E O Tuck, J W Williamson, Garry Williamson, S W Vick, G W Blount.

Residents not Members—John A Stanly, B M Selby, J W Lancaster, Dr A D Moore, D S Richardson, S M Warren, S S Satchwell, S C Milburn, R B Ellis, W N Hackney, Wm Driver, Moses Fanner, J B Fanner.

Initiated 8; passed 8; raised 7; rejected 2; admitted 3; withdrawn 6; died 4; residents not members 7; whole number 89.

MT. HERMON, No. 118, ASHEVILLE.

Officers—A W Cummings, W M; W H Stone, S W; Jos Reed, J W; J Hildebrand, Sec.; Joshua Roberts, Treas.; J D Wagg, S D; Jos Miller, J D; H F Wolstenholme, Tyler.

Members—A W Cummings, W H Stone, Jos Reed, J Hildebrand, Joshua Roberts, J D Wagg, Jos Miller, H J Wolstenholme, J R Osborne, G W Whitson, J M Israel, J W Wilson, D Reynolds, R B Vance, Jno Reynolds, W W Reynolds, J M Blair, Z B Vance, E H Cunningham, J E Patton, W L Hilliard, R G Love, S L Love, M L Williams, Chas Moore, W G Chandler, T W Murrell, D S Plemmons, J M Alexander, J M Gudger, T Draper, T Plemmons, T D Johnston, J P Gaston, J McGudger, D M Gudger, J W Gudger, J Whaley, J E Reed, J M Stevens, M E Carter, J M Taylor, T G Henson, J R Garren, P H Thrash, H A Osborne, T S Robards, T M Stevens, N A Goodlin, G M Williams, H M Rodgers, E W Herndon, B A Merrimon, A G Bailey, T C Westall, G M Roberts, J H Davis, A K McLellan, W R Young, J Rickman.

Initiated 28; passed 24; raised 22; rejected 3; suspended 1; died 4; residents not members 17; whole No. 81.

LOGAN, No. 121, JAMESTOWN.

Officers—S T Pickens, W M; Albert Armfield, S W; A Ledbetter, J W; Wm N Armfield, Treas.; B Y Thorn ton, Sec.; Harmon Brudy, S D; E N Kersey, J D; Church, Tyler.

Members—S G Coffin, J N Millis, Wm H Reece, M Hedg cock, Haly Brown, Dempsy Brown, C J Wheeler, Lewis I Leach, Nathan Beard, S C Sapp, M M Wheeler, P I Wheeler, K M Morrison, W W Roberts, T F Merritt, J Lamb, Henry Ledbetter, M Jones, Solomon Sullivan, Wi Lamb, J A Carpenter, F S Carpenter, Daniel W Edwards J H Hedgcock, B F Sullivan, J J Gordon, J A Woodberr J C Hedgcock, Henry Horney, B Y Hunt, E E Pitts, E Blair, John W Freeman, O M Dixon, T F Leach, H V Horney, H M Briggs, Nathan Wright, M E Osborne, I Hedgcock, W M Hedgcock, A B Hinshaw, Thos S Roberi son, A P Ledbetter, Henry Potter, J W Hiatt, A E Stanly H C Lamb, Anderson Lamb, S J Vincent, J W Hicks, Ja Robertson, J F Stephens, James Medters, E S Thornton, H Johnston, T W Lindsay, R D McCuystor, P H Brilbo, T Brown, O S Cansey, J M Whorton, H Hadson, Davi Irwin, John Andrew, Wm Robertson, A S Vickory, W A Russell, G W Mauney, J F Ledbetter, M Conch, W Arm field, H J Whitsitt, J Conch, Z J Ledbetter, J Jackson, B N Stephenson, J C Kerkmon, A Y Shaw, J A Gardner, J I Williams, J W Finch, B F Wiley, J H Thayer, J C Nichol son, C E Ledbetter, W E Millis, D A Armfield, J A Gray James Lowe, A W Dean, John S Binns.

Residents not members—L S Reece, David Widons, Z S Coffin, J S Ray.

Initiated 13; passed 10; rejected 17; expelled 1; with drawn 1; died 6; residents not members 4; whole No. 105.

TUSCARORA, No. 122, OXFORD.

Officers.—W A Philpott, W M; L A Williams, S W; L C Taylor, J W; J G Jones, Treas.; T M Lynch, Sec.; Ligon Hobgood, S D; W C Crabtree, J D; T W Pool, Tyler.

MEMBERS—W A Philpott, L C Taylor, W A Johnson, K J Mitchell, T L Hargrove, R J Devin, J T Littlejohn, Chast Allen, J R Fuller, T B Kingsbury, R W Lassiter, Lyman Latham, Willis Lewis, W H Paschall, P P Peace, L A Paschall, Thomas H Rainey, A F Spencer, R P Taylor, H A Taylor, T B Venable, L C Edwards, John F Harris, John S Ellis, John W Boothe, S G Wilson, E W Owen, W H Reams, Alex Reams, John R Buchanan, C F Reams, A T T Jones, Roger Atkinson, W C Crabtree, L A Williams, S G Hayes, John P Reams, W G Washington, J D C Pool, T W Pool, J P Montague, W R Turner, Ligon Hobgood, J B Lynch, George Reams, Bourbon Smith, Joseph Waldo, Thomas J Crews, T C Hines, J L Williams, W R Beasley, J. M Matthews, J M Pittard, W B Mallory, J T Williams, T M Lynch, Joseph Hobgood, J G Jones, W R Jenkins, T L Williams, Simeon Tippett, D C Reames, J M Hobgood, J L Hobgood, Eaton Kittrell, Chas R Cawthorn, James D Knott, J B Hunter, John L Crabtree, C W Rainey, L W Dickerson, Chas H Williams, W J Reace James A Crews, A M Clay, G A Reams, W H Cawthorn, John Fleming, Oliver Hicks, Samuel Latimer, A C Patham, N W Frasier, R T Champion Alfred Hobgood, Samuel Edwards, W B Crews, J H Mills, R H Kingsbury, David Allen, R W Harris.

RESIDENTS NOT MEMBERS—J R Herndon, H C Herndon, J H Horner, R D Hoit, J C Taylor.

Initiated 27; passed 24; raised 25; rejected 12; suspended 1; admitted 2; withdrawn 1; died 2; whols number 90.

Regular time of meeting, first Monday night in each month, except December, then on the second Monday.

FRANKLINTON, No. 123, FRANKLIN.

OFFICERS—S D Beves, W M; Wm F Hilliard, S W; R S Harris, J W; P C Person, Treas.; Jas A Winston, Sec.; Geo W Neal, S D; John Y McGehee, J D; Doctor Cole, Tyler; Geo Winston, Jr, Willie J Winston, Stewards.

MEMBERS—B J Blackley, W J Beddingfield, C C Blacknall, S C Allen, T H Conyers, J W Fuller, J P Griffin, B T Green,

J J Harper, W C Lankford, Z A Minnis, W A Witchell, R P Overton, R L Paschall, Charles Perry, Willis Pearce, L Perry, J T Pearce, J M Stone, S M Stone, J H Whitfield, F J Whitfield, Jos J Ward, N G Whitfield, W J Winston, Geo Winston, Jr, A H Williams, J E Tharrington, L W Joyner, W H Williams, P H Tharrington, S W Winston, W H Watson, J Wester, J F Moss, John Rhem, J N Green, F Tharrington, T W Winston, A B Cook, P H Winston, H Freeman, Jas Wiggins, Perry Wiggins, T H Griffin, J B Fuller, R A Hicks, Z W Gill, A S Gill, W R Debnam, A D Wester.

Residents not Members—J J Thomas, Isaac Winston, W K Martin, H W Hargrove, John Shackleford, Rev T P Ricaud, Rev Williamson Harris, Jas H Lassiter.

Initiated 14; passed 13; raised 15; rejected 14; admitted 2; withdrawn 1; died 1; residents not members 8; whole number 68.

CLINTON, No. 124, LOUISBURG.

Officers—Ellis Malone, W M; E L Stegall, S W; William H Furman, J W; J J Mizetree, Treas.; William H Strother, Sec.; N B Walker, S D; B P Clifton, J D; R W Stallings, Tyler; T N Carlile, F M Stone, Stewards.

Members—R F Yarborough, W Harris, Wm B Foster, H L Bennett, T K Thomas, Dr J B Mann, Gen J B Littlejohn, Irvin Wilder, A D Green, W H Pleasants, G S Baker, Dr J B Clifton, S W Marshall, W R Young, B J King, W K Davis, T C Horton, Joseph J Davis, A W Jackson, S T Wilder, B F Wilder, Jefferson Harris, W K Barham, G W Wynn, M S Davis, Hugh S Hays, H H Hight, P B Hawkins, A B Andrews, Wm E Ray, James Southgate, Burne P Baker.

Residents not Members—Rev Wm Closs, Rev T W Guthrie, Wm P Williams, H H Thomas, Dr A H Macnair, A H H Dawson, Alexander McKnight, N B Massenburg, Rev N J Barham, John Skinner, Wm Bagley.

Initiated 13; passed 13; raised 13; rejected 5; admitted 1; withdrawn 1; died 3; residents not members 11; whole No. 42.

Regular time of meeting, first Thursday night in each month and on the festival of St. John the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist.

MILL CREEK, No. 125, JOHNSTON.

Officers—E A Bizzell, W M; S W Blackman, S W; B Grantham, J W; J B Cox, Treas.; J J Harper, Sec.; R Lee, S D; G P Rose, J D.

Members—N B Stephens, B Grantham, R Lee, B B Rose, W H Bryan, D C King, N Grantham, L Eldridge, R Rayner, E S Jones, J A Williams, J L Bunn, J Lee, J G Rose, S W Blackman, G P Rose, A Thornton, J C Monk, L C King, U W Cox, J C Eason, J H Bryan, J Tart, J Harper, T D Snead, J B Cox, E Rich, E Bizzell, J T Westbrook, G West, U Hill, F Westbrook, N K Thornton, W Langston, J Langston, W A Langston, T W Woodall, J J Harper, J L Dupree, W Cole, Jr., J Summerlin, J Thompson, M Lee, G R Britt, J C Hood, J Stephens, W H Smith, M A Lee, M H Bizzell.

Residents not Members—Nathan Williams, Hiram Grantham, Everitt Smith, William Hendson, Tyras Thornton, Blackman Lee, John L T McKinnie, Richard Manly, W R Parker, Bryant S Parker.

Initiated 11; passed 11; raised 11; rejected 14; admitted 2; died 5; residents not members 10; whole number 49.

BLACKMER, No. 127, ZION.

Officers—C W W Wooley, W M; J C Andrews, S W; Moses Haywood, J W; W G Deberry, Treas.; J T Mathison, Sec.; Moses Haywood, S D; E F Andrews, J D; John Boggan, Tyler.

Names of Members—C J Cook, James M Green, Rev A P Stoker, Dr J H Montgomery, C J Cochran, Dr J M Crump, J Luther, Rev R S Ledbetter, Rev D R Bruton, Dr O Had-

ley, Green Bingham, J H Reid, R T Steele, J F Green, Dr A McLennon, Rev N T Bowden, Jackson McRae, K Mathison, Rev J T Townsend, D A Boyd, Dr D N Patterson, Rev Z Rush, C H Rush, D C Harris, D B Nicholson, E H Davis, A C Northcott, Rev D Wright, A F Rush, Rev L A Whitlock, A J Bruton, O H Dockery, Dr O P Luther, W J Montgomery, James W Ewing, B Wood, R J Steele, Welcome Ussery, E J Gaines, M D Matheson, C C Wade, J R Scarbrough, H M Scarborough, B F Simmons, R A Andrews, Noah Thompson, J Legrand, J D Haywood, L D Boyd, J T Bruton, M McCaskill, J A Wood, W G Mills, Jas Haywood, W A Jordan, Thos Wood, P C Saunders, Harris Russell, C C Hilliard, J S Spence, Dr R A Chambers, B L Sanders, Saml T Usher, John B Usher, John W Harris, Jas B Ballard. A M Moore, Jones S Williams, John M Ballard.

Residents not Members—M G. Gwynn.

Initiated 18; passed 18; raised 19; withdrawn 2; died 2; whole number 77.

Regular meetings of the Lodge on Friday evening, before the full of the moon in every month, (at 5 o'clock in summer and at 4 o'clock in winter.)

HANK'S, No. 128, FRANKLINSVILLE.

Officers—D Curtis, W M; J R Swofford, S W; W P Fox, J W; James E League, Treas.; J M Odell, Sec.; H F Fox, S D; J A Odell, J D; A J York, Tyler; J A Luther, J L Coble, Stewards.

Members—J L Reece, T W Allred, E A Craven, A Craven, A S Horney, D P Reece, H W Arlidge, John Howard, J M Reece, Jos Murray, Jos Sumner, L S Reece, Jacob Steel, P E Hutson, Alfred Lewallyn, L D Stout, B C Burgess, J R Bulla, R F Trogdon, Dr H B Marley, A F Beckerdite, Erwin Heath, Milton Kennett, B B Bulla, John Heath, Seymore York, J T Fox, O M Pike, W A Brown, J L Brower, Wm Cox, J P Swain, J G Marsh, John Wrightsd, J B Troy, T B Parks, M W Coward, Y P McMasters, Milton Leonard, Yancy Johnson, R P Troy, Phelix Parks, Reuben Cox, Wm

Welborne, Riley Wright, John Welborne, A C Jones, M S Jones, J W Burgess, D B Julian, J S Fogleman, F D Fox, C Gray, J M Pounds, W H Burgess.

Residents not Members—J J Kendall, Wm Stagg, A M Furguson, Hugh Parks, W A Burgess.

Initiated 32; passed 31; raised 29; rejected 16; admitted 2; died 2; residents not members 5; whole No. 70.

Regular time of meeting, the third Friday night in each month, except June and December, and then on the anniversary days of St. John the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist.

RADIANCE, No. 132, SNOW HILL.

Officers—D A Sugg, W M; Arvel Sugg, S W; D A Spivey, J W; J T Freeman, Treas.; W H B Tayler Sec.; H H Best, S D; W J Jones, J D; Theo Edwards, Tyler.

Members—R W Best, G J W; T Barrow, J Benton, B J Best, G Britt, J G Britt, J W Britt, J H Albritton, W S Darden, W B Newsom, Wm Frazier, R W Taylor, E Carr, A J Rasbury, A D Swinson, J W Potter, J C Potter, M J Edwards, J R Smith, C H Albritton, W G Williams, W A Brand, C H Harper, A Rasbury, J F Jones, N Edwards, A Croom, W S Taylor, W F Edwards, Isaac C Edwards, R B Davis, R W Bridgen, J R Murphy, W G Little, Ira E Norman, O J Pate, D W Hood, J C Robinson, H Canady, J Walston, T Hughes, D Hawkins, J W Taylor, L Lewis, W C Singletary, H R Pridgen, G Edmundson, D Harper, J Murphy, J Darden, J B Faircloth, R A L Carr, H M Thompson, Josiah Dixon, W A Darden, Jr., S G Barrington, N Smith, Dan Howell, W B Thompson, T L Hartsfield, T H Sugg, Jno D Walston, Patrick Lynch, W H Sugg, Rev J Mahoney, G F M Dail.

Residents not Members—Dr John Harvey, W A Darden, Sr., B H Smith.

Initiated 12; passed 12; raised 12; rejected 3; admitted 1; withdrawn 3; died 2; residents not members 3; whole No. 74.

Regular time of meeting, first and third Saturday in each month.

ALAMANCE, No. 133, GRAHAM.

Officers—W H Faucett, W M; A H Boyd, S W; A Moore, J W; Joseph McAdams, Treas.; Robert Hanner, Sec.; C F Klapp, S D; W A Albright, J D; J J Younger, Tyler.

Members—E F Watson, G M; P A Holt, P G M; Jno R Holt, R Love, W A Holt, J T Trollinger, M Russell, H C Trollinger, J K Klapp, G W Foster, S A White, J R N Faucett, J Vincent, L H Wood, J B Randleman, J D Corbin, H C Hurdle, E M Holt, J W Steel, A G Farmville, A J Hughes, George Walker, W G Clendennin, R Moore, H Maynard, E W Beal, A Murray, J C Vincent, D Moore, R Walker, R G Tinin, J A Murray, B McRae, J Gant, F T Jones, J Hurdle, G H Garrison, A Iseley, T J Fowler, J W Wellons, J V Moore, C Whitsett, W S Ector, T C Foust, L A Vincent, J Lowgest, H A Cheek, J W Sharp, S R Curtis, H Cook, J P Albright, J Klapp, S Crawford, J Morton, H C Albright, J Sharp, J M Foust, M Boon, John R Ireland, C N Roney, G Leath, J Ashworth, W Wood, T M Holt, H Curtis, C R King, Alfred Sharp, Sidney Anderson, H J Dishough, Wm Redding, L Klapp, J L Scott, L Iseley, G M Harden, Thos Wilkins, W J Anderson, R A Noell, N A Williams, G Moser, D C Holt, J H Long, Jas McAdams, W S Long, C C Curtis, Eli Sharp, M Long, H B Nutt, G E Freeland, E Dixon, Wm Browning, John Faucett, J C Faucett, J S Faucett, A Walker, William King, R T Berry, H M Fowler, J A Long, J R Stockard.

Residents not members—D A Montgomery, W H Oliver, G Rosenthal, R Y McAden, J A Flanner, John Hutcheson, R W Hamlett.

Initiated 25; passed 24; raised 24; rejected 11; withdrawn 5; died 3; whole number 107.

MOCKSVILLE, No. 134, MOCKSVILLE.

Officers—A A Harbin, W M; John Taylor, S W; Jerry Wellman, J W; B Bailey, Treas.; R F Cain, Sec.; J A Kelly, S D; P R Martin, J D; L Bingham, Chap.; Cheshire Sain, Tyler.

Members—H R Austin, C Anderson, G A Bingham, C Bohannan, W E Booe, Rev S S Barber, R D Brown, T J Brown, J W Burke, N M Brock, G W Booe, Rev R G Barrett, J E Brown, J W Clifford, G W Cambell, D M Crenshaw, H Critz, J F Coon, G B Clifford, Darias Carter, Wm A Clement, Wilie A Clement, D C Clement, J M Clement, J N Charles, P N Doolin, H X Dwire, H C Eccles, J C Ellis, B R Eaton, E Frost, Joseph Gray, J W Gray, Rev W C Gannon, F D Horn, L C Hains, J Holman, S J Hains, J A Hendricks, A N Hendren, A Henley, O Henley, D Ijames, B Ijames, M N Ijames, G W Johnson, J M Johnson, J H Johnson, W H James, F M Johnson, J A Kelly, S A Kelly, W F Kelly, A C Kelly, W F McMahan, W A Meroney, Jas McGuire, P F Meroney, T T Maxwell, S W Naylor, S T Naylor, J F Nichols, U H Phelps, Robt Rose, W Reives, Jonathan Smith, W O Smith, D J L Smith, J W Sheek, W R Sharp, Casper Sain, J S Smith, W H Smith, M D Travillion, S Taylor, J M Turner, Alfred Turner, B Turner, J W Wiseman, R O Wiseman, A W Wiseman, R F Williams, W H Wyatte, A F Walice, Rev W C Willson, Wm Wyatte, J J Woodruff, A M Young.

Residents not Members—A M Booe, William Baitty, N Deaver, D Hendren, S W Little.

Initiated 30; passed 25; raised 25; rejected 16; expelled 2; admitted 3; withdrawn 2; died 3; residents not members 5; whole number 102.

Regular time of meeting, third Friday night in each month, nights of County and Superior Courts, the nights St. John the Baptist and St. John Evangelist.

LEAKESVILLE, No. 136, LEAKESVILLE.

Officers—Thomas W Field, W M; D E Field, S W; R R Robinson, J W; J Strong, Treas.; B I Field, Sec.; J W Emmit, S D; A Moir, J D; R M Hopper, Tyler.

Members—Jones W Burton, W L Binford, E T Brodnax, O C Calhoun, W H Carter, W S Carter, James M Cabanis, Hughs Dillard, James P Dillard, Overton Dillard, James Dallas, John W Emmit, Thomas W Field, D E Field, Z R Fewel, John E Field, B J Field, Burwell Flanagan, Beverly Flanagan, George K Griggs, Stephen H Hodgin, W M Harrison, R M Hoppin, C G Jones, Peter Camp, J C Martin, G W Martin, Alex Moir, L Martin, James S Moir, Robt Moir, R L Moir, W P Millner, James W Millner, Charles H Norman, Thomas Reynolds, R R Robinson, W H Robertson, James B Wray, A L Robertson, John Strong, W A Sheffield, John D Sail, William Saunders, Cornelius Watson, Hugh Willis, Pryor Reynolds, Samuel Smith, James H Waddell, Bridges Arendall, A V Jones, John H Dillard.

Initiated 9; passed 9; raised 9; suspended 1; admitted 1; died 2; residents not members 2; whole No. 52.

LINCOLN, No. 137, LINCOLN.

Officers—S Lander, Jr., W M; William Tiddy, S W; J T Alexander, J W; J A Parker, Treas.; W H Alexander, Sec.; H S Odell, S D; W C Adams, J D; J R Detter, Tyler.

Members—Rev H Asbury, J M Adams, Javan Bryant, B Black, Rev L M Berry, J A Caldwell, C R F Cronland, A F Cannon, Rev J M Cline, S R Clapp, J Campbell, A W Detter, J W Derr, H S Dellinger, Eric Erson, A J Huss, W J Hoke, S H Hunter, — Henley, J F Hill, C L Hutcheson, G M Hoke, J F Johnston, J A Jetton, O B Jenks, J W Kerr, T W Lindsay, R L McLurd, Caleb Motz, R S Proctor, J H Richardson, T W Robinson, V M Ramsour, J P Stott, A J Yount, D M D Yount, J D L Yount, P L Yount, H W Burton.

Residents not members—L Fener, Rev S Lander, Sr., W Lander, A W Burton, Rev O A Darby, W R Edwards, Alex Brevard.

Initiated 13; passed 11; raised 11; admitted 3; withdrawn 2; died 1; residents not members 7; whole No. 54.

Regular time of meeting, first Friday of each month, Tuesday of Court weeks, and St. John's days.

KING SOLOMON, No. 138, LONG CREEK.

Officers—S H Bell, W M; W Robitzseh, S W; J Black. J W; J Garrason, Treas.; W S Larkins, Sec.; G. F Walker, S D; W F Robetzseh, J D; S Bryant, Tyler.

Members—F H Bell, P M; J Jones, D W Mott, C W Murphy, J B Pegford, J H Murphy, J Eakins, John Moore, J F Moore, J E Robitzseh, M C Collins, W C Mott, S S Satchwell, R W Collins, S B Rivenbark, J F Croom, W R Brenson, J T Collins, J J McMillan, W D Somers, C D Sikes, J F Pegford, J S Hines, C V Hines, C P Moore, W H Moore, H E Carr, W M Monroe.

Residents not Members—J C M McLeod, W J Price, J P Moore.

Initiated 7; passed 7; raised 7; rejected 3; withdrawn 2; died 6; residents not members 3; whole number 36.

Regular time of meeting, first Friday in each month.

MT. ENERGY, No. 140, GRANVILLE.

Officers—W N Harris, W M; R H D Bullock, S W; E Dalby, J W; B B Hester, Treas.; James B Floyd, Sec.; B F Bullock, S D; W B Jeffreys, J D; J W Kemp, Tyler.

Members—B B Hester, J G Cannady, H Smith, J. P Hester, J D Bullock, Z Burnett, A Bragg, R Bobbitt, J P Adams, G C Compton, J Dickerson, J Estess, R C Freeman, H Freeman, W L Garrett, J B Green, W Green, N E Cannady, W H Hunt, W H P Jenkins, J M Kittle, E B Lyon, E E Lyon, J Moss, James C Moss, W B Jeffreys, Benjamin Knight, J T Smith, L T Smith, A C Smith, J C Rogers, C White, T F

Brummutt, A D Peace, J W Mitchell, J C Hester, W S Hester, L H Bullock, Weldon E Bullock, J Y Moss, W E Bullock, J L Fuller, Samuel Usry, R Suit, E Suit, H Hailey, J G Hester, B F Bullock, Jr., J T Bullock, E B Laurens, M Fowler, Benjamin Moss, C Bennett, Robert Suit, Kinchen Heathcock, W M Blackwell, W J Rogers, W Rogers, M H Suit, G W Rogers, James Bragg, John Bragg, J R Knight, W A Bobbitt, W L Mitchell, Jos H Cook.

Residents not Members—B F Bullock, Sr.

Initiated 13; passed 15; raised 16; rejected 10; died 2; residents not members 1; whole number 75.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday in each month, 2 o'clock, P. M.

CAROLINA, No. 141, ANSON.

Officers—Nathaniel Knight, W M; Dr Wm S Kendall, S W; James W Hendley, J W; T B Crump, Treas.; A Knight, Sec.; Rev J R Griffith, S D; Eli Spruill, J D; Madison Roberts, Tyler,

Members—Joseph Allen, D B Allen, O P Bennett, Robt H Burns, George M Ballard, John Billingsbey, Hartwell Broadway, John Ballard, M W Burroughs, Z D Clark, R R Crump, William Carter, Alexander Crump, H C Collier, F A Clarke, J F Capion, J F Dunlap, V S Garrett, John B Gillis, B F Garris, F B Flake, Thos M Henley, Dr William F Harler, Jere Ingram, Jas W Ingram, Dr W A Ingram, Dr John S Kendall, D B McSwain, James M McBryde, Rev W C Power, W S Richardson, Samuel Rose, George A Smith, Wm Shudding, G B Threadgill, James Thomason, Joel Tyson, Jr., Edmund Turner, John Threadgill, Wm A Threadgill, R P Simmons, Dr C Watkins, John F Watkins, John B Waddill, A A Waddill, Samuel T Wright.

Residents not Members—Wm Little, S W Cole, Joseph Medly.

Initiated 34; passed 34; raised 32; rejected 31; suspended 3; admitted 2; withdrawn 1; died 4; residents not members 3; whole No. 82.

Regular time of meeting, Thursday night after the full moon in each and every month and the festivals of St John the Baptist and St John the Evangelist.

CANE CREEK, No. 142, ALAMANCE.

Officers—Benj Davidson, W M; John M Stout, S W; William M Millis, J W; Henry Stout Treas.; Nathan Stout, Sec.; E Demock, S D; William Workman, J D; Simon Allen, Tyler; William H Pickard and L B Branson, Stewards.

Members—Joseph Stout, Malcom Murchison, Jos Allen, Job Stuart, H O Durham, Calvin Workman, Ira Henshaw, A J Perry, John Low, James Griffin, William D Holt, F W Vestal, William G Murchison, C A Brewer, Wm A Perry, John S Albright, J H Stout, F Bailiff, James Robeson, G C Gurther, John S Ray, James Thomas, William Teague, G Stafford, Madison Perry, J R Glenn, J G Fowler, A J Headen, Jonn Barbee, W H Loy, John Britt, D C Murchison, F Lindley, C Teague, T Robeson, Sr., N Robeson, J A Jones, Milton Allen, James Eulis, Newton Stout, A L Keneday, W Robison, Eli Albright, Aaron Andrew, N Furgison, A Turner, Patterson Pigott, Alvis Harris, T Hadley, W H Pickard, J C Thompson, J H Winingham, Levi Moser.

Initiated 22; passed 22; raised 22; died 1; residents not each Members 2; whole No. 65.

Regular time of holding meeting, first Saturday night in month.

MT. VERNON, No. 143, GOLDSTON.

Officers—R B Paschall, W M; John Straughan, S W; James Gilbert, J W; Edward Phillips, Treas.; W H Ellis, Sec.; B B Bobbington, S D; John A Brooks, J D; R R Moore, Chap.; Samuel Thomas, Tyler; L J Hackney, J E Page, Stewards.

Members—D A Carter, J I Lane, S W Brewer, W P Lane, Dr L M Bray, R T D Fooshee, Merrit Rosson, A J Kivett, J F Rives, P M H Fox, Manly Lane, J J White, J H Bray, B W Smith, W H Brooks, W M Tally, Tyson Johnson, W J

Page, W S Webster, A Y Phillips, E F Lambert, Adams Brewer, J A Tilmon, W H Watt, J D Cheek, A S Dowd, James Hughes, Henry Dorsett, Dr T A Brooks, Tarleton Johnson, K P Harmon, George Womble, Jere Hughes, E H McManns, J S Davis, W H Harper, G W Blalock, Ira Nall, Wiley Tally, Jere Tilmon, H B Scott, C F Rosson, J W Ellis, J J Andrew, Jos Moody, L B Welch, Willis Jones, Neill Kidd, W J Lambert, W J Headen, L Ellis, N R Smith, W W Edwards, J M Edwards, N R Sanders, J L Smith, J R Lane, James Clark, A G Williams, W A Fox, N S Stone, J J Lambert, James Boroughs, Oren Welch, J Q Smith, J M Brooks, H B Welch, C H Welch, E M Welch, J T Tuck, W L Bray, George Emerson, A B Bright, W J Welch, J S Womble, D H Lambert, J N Brooks, C C Tally, Rev D C Muchison, W H Dark, J T Brooks, Dr M Street, J D Dorsett, A B Dark, James Ray, W H Boroughs.

Initiated 31; passed 33; raised 33; rejected 6; admitted 1; died 16; residents not members 1; whole number 99.

Regular time of meeting, Saturday before the third Sunday in each and every month.

PALMYRA, No. 147, AVERASBORO'.

Officers—A Parker, W M; Wm Byrd, S W; A J Turlington, J W; L M Sauls, Treas.; H A Barns, Sec.; N S Stewart, S D; M Byrd, J D; R J Norris, Tyler.

Members—James C Sauls, P M; James A Johnson, L Godwin, W B Sauls, M D Denning, H A Williams, J W McCad, D G Massie, J C Williams, J R Graddy, R A Lassiter, S A Johnson, James J Adams, D R Parker, C Banker, C B Sauls, R Colyer, D M Byrd, J Jones, R D Byrd, B F Shaw, D Stewart, A B Alderman, S R Sauls, H J Ryals, A H Duar, J Byrd, S F Crowder, H Gainey, G W Barbee, Wm Pearson, T H Spence, J Bain, Jr., W G Adams, A R Smith, Wm H Allen, James B Stewart, N McDougal, J N Gregory, James P Hodges, Joseph Warren, Wm Williams, H Mands, R Barns, L B Tew, L H Godwin, J Holms, Jr., L M Wade, L B Byrd.

Residents not Members—Robert Norder, S Freelove, E Stewart, A S McNeill, D Summerler.

Initiated 14; passed 13; raised 12; rejected 15; died 2; residents not members 5; whole No. 57.

Regular time of meeting, Thursday, before the third Saturday in each month and the St. John's days.

ADONIRAM, No. 149, YOUNG'S CROSS ROADS.

Officers—J S Overbey, W M; L B Stone, S W; T J Pittard, J W; Jos H White, Treas.; L Garner, Sec.; B T Winston, S D; H C Hicks, J D; T J Overbey, Tyler.

Members—D S Wilkerson, Harmon Puryear, Dr P W Young, James Elliott, James M Overbey, Z M P Downey, Henry J Hester, John H Overbey, E N Wilkerson, J F Clack, H Y Allen, G W Watkins, John A Watkins, T Y Harrison, F B Hester, G W P Pool, Wm S Jordan, Robert Elliott, Jas Clarke, James A Royster, M S Daniel, Rufus Clarke, Y McMontigue, William E Royster, John E Montigue.

Residents not Members—Hugh McAdden, J J Speed.

Initiated 18; passed 17; raised 17; rejected 2; admitted 1; withdrawn 1; died 9; residents not members 2; whole number 33.

Regular time of meeting, Saturday before the second Sunday in each month.

PEE DEE, No. 150, NORWOOD.

Officers—W H Smith, W M; J T Robinson, S W; T K Colson, J W; C P Brooks, Treas.; R Harriss, Sec.; W S Smith, S D; J D Watkins, J D; James Howard, Tyler.

Members—J W Smith, S M Tomlinson, R M Wall, M T Waddill, William Allen, J G Brooks, R A Carter, T H Edwards, W W Forest, J N Henry, M Kirk, R M Lanier, B F Lilly, A N Lawson, Jo Marshall, L E Melchor, W F Nash, W H Randle, J O Ross, W J Ross, W Randle, Dr A G Shankle, M Shoffner, T A Simpson, J B Simpson, J S Turner, D Underwood, C P Brooks, J D Watkins, J A Howell, Jno

Thompson, R Harriss, J Story, J W Abernathy, P H Turner, J R DeBerry, W A Maner, J F Parker, J H Robinson, J N Shankle, E F Avitt, J F Howard, C L Shankle, D M Ross, Allen Carter, J W Bivins, A W Stone, C Brooks, Dr D M Smith, H W Hill, E M Smith.

Residents not Members—Dr R A Anderson.

Initiated 24; passed 24; raised 24; died 2; whole number 56.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday in each month, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

CHALMERS, No. 151, CARBONTON.

Officers—R A Stuart, W M; W A Hayes, S W; W Gillech, J W; R G Frasier, Treas.; A M Leod, Sec.; C W Canol, S D; A W Jones, J D; E B Hampton, Tyler; J W Gillian, A W Jenkins, Stewards.

Members—R Gibbs, W McDonald, Z Buroughs, B Buroughs, A W Palmer, R H Davis, G G Temple, W M McIntosh, G W Fooshee, A P Barker, C C McCrunnon, R Street, J G Fooshee, A McFayden, D R McIntosh, Solomon Ellis, J W Berryman, J Dority, J H Farrar, D M Leod, E Welch, John Cheek, Wm Elkins, R Murchison, J F Anderson, O S Yarbrough, A Wilson, E S McIver, D McFayden, J D Tyson, W L Miller, A McLeod, J L Nicholson, E D Nall, E Wadsworth, A McCan, J Pagerthire, B Y Tyson, G Wilcox, J D Gilliam, W Caviniss, A P Labarle, H Gilliam, J Hendry, T Hay, R L Jenkins, W B Philips, J C Hooker, N Burns, H Klinger, N McDonald.

Residents not Members—E A Craven, S Henley, M Browning, Wm Murdock.

Initiated 9; passed 9; raised 9; suspended 14; died 2; residents not members 2; whole No. 65.

SCOTCH IRELAND, No. 154, ROWAN MILLS.

Officers—B S Krider, W M; T A Burke, S W; R W Griffith, J W; E P Hall, Treas.; J P Marlin, Sec.; D B Wood, S D; D Fleming, J D; R J M Barber, Tyler.

MEMBERS—T A Allison, W A Luckey, C C Krider, Rev W A Wood, J W Steel, T S Wood, John Lindsay, J T Ray, J M Armes, J A Hudson, J C Irvin, J G Knox, A A Hart, D W Krider, D F Watson, J F Stancil, G Ramsay.

RESIDENTS NOT MEMBERS—T D Mears, T A Allison.

Initiated 7; passed 6; raised 5; died 1; residents not members 2; whole number 28.

WHITE STONE, No. 155, WAKEFIELD.

OFFICERS—F G Foster, W M; D B Griffin, S W; A J Underhill, J W; D H Bunn, Treas.; C M Horton, Sec.; J R Brown, S D; B T Strickland, J D; H Hocutt, Chaplain; W S Cheeves, Tyler.

MEMBERS—C B Strickland, H Daniel, J Chambler, W S Harriss, J H Cheeves, J C Fowler, C Pippin, W E Stott, R H Bailey, W R Phillips, W Privitt, T J Wiggs, Wm Privitt, W H Hood, J W Perry, M Whitley, D T Crenshaw, J J Nowell, J Woodroe, A Pearce, J S Williams, J M Taylor, H Holleman, A J Foster, A Brown, G H Dodd, D Bizzell, W Ballentine, T H Hood.

RESIDENTS NOT MEMBERS—W B Chambler, John Griffin.

Initiated 6; passed 6; raised 6; withdrawn 1; died 4; residents not members 2; whole No. 38.

ROLESVILLE, No. 156, ROLESVILLE.

OFFICERS—R E Harris, W M; H A Hodge, S W; H W Jones, J W; Isham Young, Treas.; J Robt Jeffreys, Sec.; C H Horton, S D; J T Weathers, J D; L B Rogers, Tyler; Dr A R Young, S W Terrell, Stewards.

MEMBERS—J Robt Jeffreys, P M.; H A Hodge, P M.; H W Jones, Isham Young, F H Perry, J M Terrell, P M.; S C Baily, W D Jones, P M; James B Redford, Dr A R Young, C H Horton, C B Walker, P M., L B Rogers, J J Terrell, J T Weathers, P M.; J Q A Barham, S W Terrell, Dr A R Dunn, W B Dunn, Jr., Junius W Fort, Dr C H Harris, James H Scarborough, W B Dunn, Sr., H C Ligon, Dr W T Hodge,

R S Perry, Robt E Harris, Wm B Smith, Jasper Fleming, W A Baker, J L Watson, H V Pace, Dr H H Harris, Wm B Redford.

Residents not Members—John H Brodie.

Initiated 4; passed 5; raised 5; rejected 6; expelled 2; withdrawn 1; died 3; residents not members 1; whole number 34.

Regular time of meeting, held monthly, on Thursday before the first Saturday in each month.

KNAP OF REEDS, No. 158, KNAP OF REEDS.

Officers—John Fleming, W M; Dennis Tilley, S W; R L Heflin, J W; Joseph Woods, Treas.; F J Tilley, Sec.; John Peed, S D; W T Meadows, J D; T S Jenkins, Tyler.

Members—John Adcock, Marcus Ball, Wm Bolin, W G Bullock, Addison Bratcher, R B Beasley, T B Coley, D B Cozart, W W Cozart, William Carrington, G W Duncan, J C Denny, W E Edwards, S D Ferrill, Alex Fleming, S D Franklin, W T Gooch, R H Gooch, H S Gooch, T R Groom, W C Haskins, M Harris, T R Hall, E M Holt, Wm Hobgood, R H Hobgood, W H Jones, M Johnson, W D Kimball, Joseph Lunsford, J M Lyon, A W Mangum, Henry McFarland, F M Meadows, James Meadows, J S Meadows, Willis Meadows, Addison Mangum, Willis Mangum, R W Minor, R V Minor, A Mangum, E Meadows, Seth Meadows, Willie Meadows, Dudley Parker, D C Parish, J P Paschal, Richard Peed, Sherman Peed, W H Peed, Gaston Roberts, J V Roberts, M F Roberts, A J Roberts, R L Suit, P Southerlin, H Tilly, S D Umstead, J D Umstead, L W Umstead, A M Veazey, M C Washington, E Washington, S P Washington, J Wheeler, N A Waller, Jeff Wheeler, H Wheeler, D W Wheeler, Gaston Walters.

Residents not Members—W A Gill, W R Tilly,

Initiated 16; passed 16; raised 17; died 1; whole No. 79.

Regular time of meeting Saturday before the third Sunday in each month, and 27th of December.

ROCKY RIVER, No. 159, MUDLICK.

Officers—Dr W S McClane, W M; Dr George Kirkman, S W; Anthus McCoy, J W; Jos A Gilliland, Treas.; Dr John C Kirkman, Sec.; A M Record, J D; G R Smith, S D; P S Siler, Tyler and Steward.

Members—J W Culberson, P M.; Dr W S Edwards, P M; Rev Wm Lineberry, P M., Rev W C Kennett, Rev G H Gilbreath, Lieut S E Teague, Lieut A J Low, Lieut Col Isaac T Brooks, Capt W G Albright, J D W Holmes, H Holmes, W M Teague, S P Teague, W H Fox, S J Carter, J T Jones, W B Carter, W B Dorsett, N M Bridges, G P Johnson, Madison Low, W F York, J W Bowdown, Zeno Johnson, J Holaday, J W Cox, W A Lineberry, A M Record, Isaac Fogleman, D L Barker, W A Siler, John Low.

Residents not Members—A P Barker, John Clapp.

Initiated 32; passed 31; raised 31; rejected 12; admitted 1; withdrawn 2; died 2; residents not members 2; whole number 66.

Regular time of meeting, third Saturday evening in each month, one hour after sun set.

BEAUMONT, No. 160, CHATHAM.

Officers—Dr W D Watson, W M; H F Fike, S W; A G Headen, J W; E Fike, Treas.; R N Green, Sec.; T L Winslow, S D; A T Dixon, J D; J R Burke, Tyler; J E Nettles, J Ausley, Stewards.

Members—J M Green, D F McIver, A P Brooks, E Fike, R N Green, J W Turner, F F Fike, D Oldham, U R Browning, J E Nettles, W D Watson, M Browning, H O Dunlap, W C Burke, T B Long, E Ausley, T W Moody, J M Hadley, A T Dixon, E W Harris, J Guthrie, J R Burke, Joseph Ausley, A G Headen, N R Bridgers, Dr T L Winslow, J F Ausley.

Initiated 8; passed 8; raised 8; rejected 1; died 6; residents not members 3; whole number 27.

Regular time of meeting, Saturday evening preceding each full moon.

ROCK REST, No. 161, BROWN'S CHAPEL.

Officers—C Justice, W M; T P Henderson, S W; Isaac Henderson, J W; James Johnson, Treas.; Jesse W Perry, Sec.; Jorrin Stanford, S D; Hyram Johnson, J D; James Campbell, Tyler; W J Lutterloh, Simeon Fowler, Stewards.

Members—Edmond A Poe, Richard Webster, Charles Daffron, Joseph Johnson, Thos J Clark, James Henderson, Calvin Williams, C B Poe, Berry Cruze, John W Perry, C E Johnson, H P Straughan, Isham Thrift, Jesse Richardson, J B West, F A Mann, Wm C Mann, R A Patterson, James Copeland, Lindsey Andrews, John R Johnson, John Ray, John Richard, John J Hadley, Oliver Lamb, R C Cotton, Addison H Perry, Gilom Carter, Josiah Stone, Thomas S Perry, James E Perry, Joshua Johnson, J T Cheek, John W Williams, M G Elmore, James Campbell, Wm M Thomas, A J Roberson, Alvis Thomas, Charles M Snipes, J J Cook, W J Baldwin, B E Webster, R M Perry, A M Self, W J Perry, A B Roberson, Thos Thomas, N A Webster, M M Perry, John Crawford, Wm C Hadley, Marion Perry, Saml Baldwin, Wm McMath, Claiborne Carter, Egbert H Love.

Initiated 22; passed 22; raised 24; withdrawn 1; died 4; whole number 67.

YADKIN, No. 162, YADKINVILLE.

Officers—John Idol, W M; W A Joyce, S W; L D Celly, J W; W H Robertson, Treas.; W H Rodwell, Sec; R F Armfield, S D; S T Speer, J D; Isaac Long, Sen., Tyler.

Names of Members—L Lynch, Joseph Gray, H C Wilson, W L Martin, P V Welfare, J W Naylor, L W Bryan, R S Phillips, E C Krughton, John Q Messick, J M Jarrel, B Speer, R M Willard, Joel Reavis, Thomas Long, W W Long, T C Hauser, James R Dodge, T S Martin, S S Arnold, J R Naylor, E Benbow, H P Messick, Henry Marshall, M D Howard, Wm Steelman, A S Speer, J C Foot, A P Poindexter, R C Poindexter, R G Zachary, H P Martin, V A Wilson, F W Hall, William Miller, Daniel Hoots, J A Mock,

J B Naylor, M H Wooten, J E Reeves, S W Potts, Jno Shore, Isaac Long, Jr., W A Poindexter, Thos Williams, W S Williams, S C Welch, L A Todd, James Sheek, C L Cook, G D Williams, W F Hoots, Thos L Davis, John H Poindexter, John T Conrad, J L Hobson, John M Nicholson, S L Steelman, Isaac Roberts, A F Gaither, W J Colburt, A S Jones, J C Idol, B V Idol, Thos E North, B C Myers, J P Nicholson, Peter Binkly, James R Wilburn, P H Holcomb, F F Clark, W S North, James Allen, Thomas Holcomb, Samuel May, W W McRaughn, J L Nicholson, J H Cornelius, J E Gough.

Residents not Members—J B Bitting, H S Gorman, Henry Snow.

Initiated 7; passed 5; raised 7; suspended 1; withdrawn 1; died 2; residents not members 3; whole number 90.

DEEP RIVER, No. 164, FOUST'S MILLS.

Officers—Henry M Foust, W M; G W Dorsett, S W; G A Foust, J W; N R Kimery, Treas.; J S Bray, Sec.; Even F Owen, S D; D H Haworth, J D; Newton Owen, Tyler.

Members—Dr C R Graves, John R Cavness, D U Siler, O C Siler, Wm S Ward, Thomas F Ward, Josiah Cheek, B B Marley, A E Cavness, A Cavness, J F Cavness, B S Cavness, M V Brooks, G W Bowen, F A Matthews, Charles Parks, Alfred Mofitt, H B Lambert, William F Lane, H W Bray, William F Bray, Thomas F Cheek, Henry Stinson, B Y Craven, B F Coffin, R M Gatlin, W Cox, S W Cheek, J R Brown, R D Williams.

Residents not Members—John Gorley.

Initiated 13; passed 13; raised 13; rejected 1; admitted 1; withdrawn 9; residents not members 1; whole number 38.

Regular time of meeting, the first Saturday in each month, and 24th of June and 27th December.

ARCHER, No. 165, CREECHVILLE.

Officers—Col Saml P Horton, W M; John W Lee, S W; N J Whitley, J W; William Hinnant, Treas.; Dr H M Whitley, Sec.; Jo Blake, S D; J Hinnant, J D; Wm H O'Neal, Tyler; W T Robertson, A W Richardson, Stewards.

Members—L O'B Batten, H L Barnes, James R Barnes, John J Barnes, Harris Earp, J H Glovier, Ransom Hair, E W Hocutt, Rev J H Laton, J H Robertson, J W Robertson, Dr. J B Robertson W H Richardson, E S Lisdal, E D Whitley, James J Wilder, J D Woody, Josiah H Whitley, James H Wilder, Jas H Whitley, Ashley Wilder.

Residents not Members—Dr H C Ennis, Maj A G Lee.

Initiated 6; passed 6; raised 6; rejected 5; died 3; residents not members 2; whole number 33.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday in each month.

WINSTON, No. 167, WINSTON.

Officers—J W Hunter, W M; J S Gibson, S W; Charles Hauser, J W; R J Bell, Treas.; J H White, Sec.; W F Swaim, S D; W Axam, J D; Ed Spach, Tyler.

Members—J W Alspaugh, Samuel Alspaugh, F Beckerdite, J C Blackburn, M J Bodenhamer, Wm Barrow, Y A Barnscastle, J D Bodenhamer, N Crowder, A Christman, W Craff, N Craff, C Clinard, M E Charles, William Cooper, A G Clark, W H Erving, A Jogle, S Fogle, William Flynt, Jas Fisher, Peter Fetter, M V Faircloth, Lee Hendrix, P D Headley, S G Hall, Z G Hege, W A Harper, D M Kimbrough, O A Keehln, L C Lagenour, H D Lott, A N Leinback, P E Leight, H A Leinback, P Mock, C W Moss, M Masten, S Martin, C J Miller, A A Moss, M W Nading, Wm Nelson, M L Ogburn, A F Pfohl, L Pedicora, H H Pitts, W W Phillip, J H Randleman, A A Rominger, E Rominger, J Riggs, G H Renegar, J M Richmond, J H Stoltz, W B Stipe, J W Snider, W L Sink, N D Sullivan, J G Veach, R R Walker, A W Walker, P A Wilson, G W Wear, M Westmorland, S J White, T J White, J P Whicker.

Initiated 25; passed 24; raised 25; rejected 12; with-

drawn 1; died 1; residents not members 4; whole number 76.

The regular meetings, second Saturday night in each month, and the two Saint John's days, Tuesday night of each Court week.

PLEASANT HILL, No. 168, PATTERSON'S STORE.

Officers—Wm Patterson, W M; T M Shoffner, S W; W L Shoffner, J W; A A Crutchfield, Treas.; D Coble, Sec.; H M Foust, S D; Z M Foust, J D; O A Foster, Tyler; S Spoon, Jno M Kime, Stewards.

Members—William Patterson, R R Lutterloh, P M; David Coble, W R Denny, P M; J C Smith, S Spoon, B A Setters, W A Coble, M R Bishop, W R Coley, Wm Coble, A C Coley, John Stafford, J M Jordan, J C Bain, Wm Zachry, R W Jones, W H McNairy, Wm Fogleman, Levi Brown, Jr.; Berry Kimbro, D M Isley, H M Duke, O A Foster, J Gorley, Henry Moon, T G Whorton, Jesse Butler, William Way, H M Foust, Uriah Marshal, F M Shaw, Z G Miller, B G Campbell, F G Wright, A A Crutchfield, Z M Foust, Wm McMath, Wm Brown, Jr.; T C Lutterloh, D B Branson, A M Euliss, T M Shoffner, C D Smith, William P Isley, E D Patterson, Daniel Isley, Madison Bowman, Nathaniel Law, Alex Holt, Josephus Isley, A M Beckum, Jacob Graves, Martin Isley, Philip Isley, L A Foust, G M Albright, J L Pugh, J A Spoon, R A Duke, W L Shoffner, Joel Shoffner, G F Shoffner, John F Coble, Emanuel Clapp, M M Shoffner, J M Amick, W G Spoon, Michael Rightset, Jacob Clapp, Milton Loy, A L Isley, Sampson Kimbro, Milton Isley, David Layton, Jacob Neese, J J Webster, J A J Patterson, W M Thompson, Wm McDaniel, James F Coble, M M Rightsel, A J Patterson, Eli Greeson, W M Kime, J R Garrett, A W Palmer, Alfred Isley, Wm L Compton, J M Kime, A J Albright, O D Holt, G W Isley, Eli M Alexander, Ed M Alexander, S M Woods, Hugh Wilson, Daniel Thomas, Lewis Horniday, C M Fogleman, C F Campbell, Levi Brown, Sr.; E S Euliss, Alfred Isley, W S Johnson, A R Johnson, M A

Euliss, Seymore Shoffner, John Garrett, G B Kime, J M Patterson, D M Linins, Alfred Johnson, H S Euliss, David McMasters, Henry Kime, A E Noah, Alison Sharp, D C McMasters, G W Clapp, Christ C Curtis, W J Staily, Abram Staily, Alvin A Isley, Isaac H Patterson, Wm E Gorley, J C Clapp, Martin Staily, Franklin Way, Joseph W Foust, F C; J W M Pherson, F C.

Residents not Members—Wm A Patterson.

Initiated 53; passed 54; raised 54; rejected 15; withdrawn 2; died 5; whole number 139.

Times of holding the regular meetings, 1st Saturday of every month at 1 o'clock, P. M., and on the anniversary of St. John the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

BLACKMER, No. 170, REEM'S CREEK.

Officers—J R Weaver, W M; W R Chambers, S W; J A Reagin, J W; W R Baird, Treas.; W B Cheek, Sec.; W M Weaver, S W; J P Eller, J W; J W Garrison, Tyler.

Members—K V Blackstock, J G Blackstock, D Hunsucker, Rev J D Baldwin, Rev J S Stansbury, W H Munday, J H Smith, Rev L W Sames, J D Roberts, J B Nelson, A A Dewuse, J C Sames, B V Peck, W W Rollins, J V Baird, W B Smith, J B Weaver, A G Anderson, S W Carter, J S Carter D G Carter, H H Hunter, Hamilton Fox, J C L Gudger, Job Barnard, L W Peck, T J Rollins, V Lusk, J G Chambers, P H Purland, L M Allen, P Rollins, N J Roberts, Marion Roberts, J W Anderson, J M Smith, L M Peck, J T Weaver, Rev L L Branson, W C Garrison, J M Peck.

Initiated 10; passed 6; raised 5; expelled 1; admitted 1; withdrawn 1; died 2; residents not members 2; whole number 58.

Regular time of meeting, the Saturday evening before each full moon.

DELK, No. 171, COLERAIN.

Officers—E Wilson, W M; W D Hays, S W; J S Perry, J W; G T Holoman, Treas.; J W Beasley, Sec.; H Taylor, S D; J H Davidsen, J D; D W Godwin, Tyler.

Members—E B Williams, J W Sessoms, L Evans, H L Ward, A J Askew, A O Askew, J B White, T Deams, J W Carvan, W H Slaughter, Z Laster, T Perry, G W Vallentine, L Askew, S M Clumac, J Baker, J H Garrett.

Residents not Members—S B Spruill, Wm Hays, H Hays.

Initiated 1; passed 2; raised 3; died 1.

BUFFALO, No. 172, BUFFALO.

Officers—D B McIver, W M; A M Wicker, S W; Levi Gunter, J W; Alex McIver, Treas.; J D McIver, Sec.; Jno McIntosh, S D; D McIntyre, J D; John McIver, Tyler.

Members—N R Bryan, W Bryan, D C Bryan, J F Benner, B G Cole, J B Cole, G B Cole, T W Cole, G W Cole, J A Campbell, W W Dye, J M Dye, Rev S Gilmore, E B Gilmore, G W Gilmore, W Henly, A Harrington, J A Howard, M F Harrington, A Kelley, J A Laster, D N McIver, R McIver, E J McIver, R F McIntosh, W McNeill, A N McIver, R A McIver, B J Morris, L G McIver, W McAuley, A McIntosh, D W McIntosh, A D McIver, A McIver, D McIver, D G McIntosh, A T Oliver, J W Oliver, A Poe, J E Pipkin, G W Petty, A A F Seawell, E R Seawell, J L Seawell, J A Sheppard, A B Thomas, D W Wicker, E Wicker, E Watson, Elijah Wicker, J J Wicker, S Witherspoon, H A Bland, Jno M McIver, John McIver, Williamson McIver, L F Bunn, William B Petty, A B Nicholson.

Died 1; whole number 60.

Regular time of meeting, the second Saturday in each month.

UNION, No. 173, KERNERSVILLE.

Officers—John H Hester, W M; L Morris, S W; L League, J W; Jonathan Perry, Treas.; J H Pitts, Sec.; Jno F Plunkett, S D; J J Robbins, J D; W G Kemur, Tyler.

MEMBERS—M P Nicholson, J B Stockton, W A Griffith, A H S Beard, J P Robbins, Aquilla Pitts, V W Perry, C B Brookes, W P Henley, A D Lindsay, Nelson Campbell, Z J Stafford, W G Kerner, J S Harmon, B J Lapp, J M Pitts, J L Phipps, Jas Highfill, D L Davis, Jacob Fulton, Elias Perkins, J E Miller, J W Beard, R S Lenville, M C Crews, L E Pitts, A S Idol, W B Johnson, L F Davis, J P Hedgcock, Geo W Williard, Chas League, E B League, John M Crews, H Davis, Z D Lancaster, H B Perry, R E Beesen, W A Stanley, W T Robbins, R Phipps, J W Gentry, W A Gunn.

Initiated 11; passed 11; raised 10; admitted 2; rejected 10; withdrawn 1; whole number 51.

Regular time of meeting, Saturday night before the full Moon in each month, and 24th June and 27th of December.

GEORGE WASHINGTON, No. 174, POINT PLEASANT.

OFFICERS—C R Scott, W M; James B Long, S W; A C Council, J W; B M Yates, Treas.; G A Upchurch, Sec.; J Broadwell, S D; J G Wilson, J D; A Barbee, Tyler; Gaston Farrar, Chap.; Sims Upchurch and R C Council, Stewards.

MEMBERS—W C Mason, John C Stone, G J Williams, M J Williams, Jun.; E D Council, A S Lambeth, S L Lasater, N S Clark, P Barker, J E Mason, B G Lambeth, C S Jinks, J F Williams, Merritt Holland, Thos. Luther, H Hudson, H Sears, J M Morning, S T Barbee, John Williams, J B Bell, M C Lewter, J B Gibson, B Jinkins, J W Oldham, J S Clark, J S Stone, T C Muchallon, E Cole, Green Mills, R J Foshee, W B Bennett, Addison Council, K R Broadwell, G S Williams, W P Carson, W J Long, W A Marcome, Alfred Johnson, Thos W Womble, G A Holland, A Womble, H D Mason, R E Sturdevant, W A Long, Charles Bennett, Sion M Beckworth, Calvin Holder, A J Wilson, Willis Wilson, Willerford Upchurch, George Farrar, J J Jinkins, Lewis Harward, H J Barker, Winslow Upchurch, J H Melton, Willie Goodwin, A Johnson, Lewis Yates, M R Herndon, P Snips, Joseph Goodwin, Murray Upchurch, Jas R Thomas, Thos A Council, James W Hilliard, A Harward.

Residents not Members—William Jinks, Rev. O Churchill.

Initiated 26; passed 28; raised 28; rejected 9; withdrawn 1; died 8; residents not members 2; whole No. 79.

Regular time of meeting, Thursday before the 3d Sabbath in each month.

MARLBORO', No. 177, PITT.

Officers—George Joyner, W M; James Joyner, S W; W B Mangum, J W; James W May, Treas.; Jacob Joyner, Sec.; Sherrod Belcher, S D; George Belcher, J D; Lemuel J DeBerry, Tyler; William Flanekin, R W Joyner, Stewards.

Members—Elias J Blount, P M.; Rev Peter E Hines, Wm G Long, Ered Harding, William May, Gideon Allen, James H Bibb, M R Jones, Allen Bynum, Kendrick Kittrell, W H Speight, Noah Joyner, W L Edwards, A Flanekin

Initiated 9; passed 8; raised 7; admitted 1; died 2; whole number 26.

Regular time of meeting, Thursday before the third Lord's day in every month.

LAFAYETTE, No. 179, LEASBURG.

Officers—H F Brandon, W M; Jefferson Whitefield, S W; C A Apple, J W; R P Hancock, Treas.; G N Thompson, Sec.; John C Wilkerson, S D; T J Stephens, J D; J T Hambrick, Tyler.

Members—James T Sergeant, John F Wagstaff, V L Morton, Stephen T Richmond, Alex M Fuller, John W Allen, George Smith, A G Mitchell, E B Holden, William Paylor, Jr., Monroe Oliver, O M Luterloh, A J Jackson, John D Long, C M Russell, Thomas J Oakley, J A Thompson, H A Rogers, William G Whitefield, John Daniel, C J Hester, George Briggs, D W K Richmond, James Love, G G Richmond, Robt F Oliver, John L Stanfield, Samuel T Covington, Thos W Featherston, Samuel Johnston, Jasper J James, A J Harrison, William H Smith, John D Paylor, W G Ste-

phens, C L Oliver, J N McCain, Thos W Hamlett, Thos J Stephens, James M Smith, C A Apple, A B Newmon, J W Chandler, H R Farmer, Wm R Fullington, Samuel Pittard, Alfred P McCain, Colemon Burch, Iverson M Stephens, S L Stephens.

Initiated 28; passed 28; raised 28; admitted 1; died 1; residents not members 1; whole number 58.

CALDWELL, No. 180, CHAPEL HILL.

Officers—M Fetter, W M; Rev F W Hilliard, S W; D McAuly, J W; R H Lee, Treas.; T M Kirkland, Sec.; H B Guthrie, S D; A Danniel, J D; J B McDade, Tyler.

Members—R J Ashe, T M Argo, W Barbee, J M Blackwood, J H Boon, W H Couch, J W Carr, M Closs, Rev J A Cunninggim, Rev J L Carroll, J M Cheek, E H Davis, D J Ezzell, T A Emmerson, W L Emmerson, J F Freeland, W R Franklin, W A Gattis, J R Hutchins, J T Hutchins, Rev F M Hubbard, J C Hogan, J T Hogan, O F Hatch, J B Jones, Rev J W Jenkins, R Louder, C W L Loyd, Rev J P Mason, J A McDade, W H McDade, A J McDade, J C McDade, M J W McAuly, A Mickle, W J Newton, Y A Oldham, A Oldham, W N Patterson, Rev G W Purefoy, Rev S Pool, B Partin, B F Partin, J J Riggsbee, A Riggsbee, G O Riggsbee, D A Robertson, R F Robertson, U N Sugg, R B Saunders, M D Stroud, J H Saunders, N L Shaw, D Tilley, G S Thompson, Grey Utley, John White, J H Watson, T S Weaver, W G Whitted, Rev N W Wilson, W A Whitted, Rev R A Willis.

Initiated 17; passed 18; raised 17; withdrawn 2; whole number 71.

CARTHAGE, No. 181, CARTHAGE.

Members—Geo. S. Cole, W M; J H Caddell, S W; Arch. McCallum, J W; John Dowd, Treas.; John M Campbell, Sec.; J R McLemore, S D; M M Fry, J D.

Members—A H McNeill, H C McLean, R A Cole, W D

Dowd, W B Richardson, Thos W Ritter, S W Seawell, A R Black, B P Phillips, A R McDonald, A M Branson, S C Barrett, R W Barrett, J S Ritter, H L Muse, K L Kelly, W H H Lawhon, J J Richardson, S W Brewer, John Dunlap, E Q Sowell, W C Thaggard, Elias Maniss, J A Jackson, W M M Black, V N Seawell, Neill McIntosh, C D Caddell, W L Sullivan, A S Caddell, Daniel McIntosh, Daniel Bullard, B P Fry, A W Campbell, W R Muse, T C Cole, D M Kenedy, W H H Fry, A M Campell, D A Blue, J W Black, J F. McDonald, Lewis Lawhon, W W Fry, J A Lawhon, J H McGilvay, J R Jenkins, H J Muse, W T Jones.

Residents not members—Hugh McDonald, Dr S C Bruce, Rev S D Adams.

Initiated 13; passed 13; raised 11; rejected 5; died 5; residents not members 3; whole No. 57.

Regular time of meeting, 1st Saturday in each month.

TOWNESVILLE, No. 182, TOWNESVILLE.

Officers—James R Duty, W M; Charles R Eaton, S W; Henry J Robards, J W; Elijah Satterthwaite, Treas.; John H Riggan, Sec.; James S Lewis, S D; George D Jenkins, J D; Jacob J Riggan, Tyler.

Members—David K Glovers, William B Hughes, John R Haskins, John W Wiggins, Samuel P Wilson, Otis F Marrow, James M Higgies, Willie J Newman, Robt R Burwell, Rich Evans, Samuel S Cooper, James A Bullock, John Wimbish, Thomas H Marrow, Wm D Marrow, Wm T Rice, Wm S Burroughs, C T Haskins, Lewis H Newman, Rich H Hunt, Robt T Hughes, Wm H Cheek, David W Knott, Lewis J Peoples, David T Barker, Thomas W Hicks, Stephen A Burroughs, James A Marrow, Drury S Marrow, John G Morgan, Samuel J Currin, Stephen Satterwhite, William H Ellis, S J J Harris.

Residents not Members—John Bullock, Horace A Burton, Wm H Boyd, Wm T Estis.

Initiated 9; passed 10; raised 8; admitted 3; died 2; residents not members 4; whole number 73.

SANDY CREEK, No. 185, LAUREL P. O.

Officers—Daniel Wester, W M; J K Swanson, S W; E A Gupton, J W; W Cooper, Treas.; N Davis, Sec.; P Murphy, S D; J A Debnam, J D; C Bartholomew, Tyler.

Members—L C Wester, J Yarbrough, J Collins, J J Foster, J J Jones, C E Bennett, P W Gupton, G F Smith, R F Hight, J K Gupton, J C Upchurch, J Lancaster, J G Leonard, W H Gupton, D Yarbrough, J B Gupton, A D Williams, W A Williams, R M Duke, H Duke, A H Ball, J M Stallings, J Stallings, F Gordon, A Gordon, L Wester, T Gupton, B J Griffin, W T Davis, T C Wester, J W Jackson, W N Fuller, A H A Stallings, C Boyd, Wistan Perry, B M Ball, Young Harris, K Gupton, James Brewer, Benj Wester, J G Swanson, M V Lancaster, W E Stallings, J P Cook, W H Gupton, Jun.; H G Gupton, J H Gupton, G H Gupton.

Residents not Members—T B Gupton, H Best, C Gupton, J Foster, L Bartholomew.

Initiated 5; passed 6; raised 6; died 1; residents not members 5; whole number 61.

Regular time of meeting first Saturday in every month.

PINE FOREST, No. 186, HARRINGTON.

Officers—Sion Harrington, Sr., W M; D M Cormick, S W; M A McLeod, J W; J J Rosser, Treas.; John McL Harrington, Sec.; J Small, S D; D Hawley, J D; Neill McLeod, Tyler; K Cameron, A C McNeill, Stewards.

Members—J H Arnold, B W Brown, W L J Brown, A C Buie, A A Cameron, H McL Cameron, A L Cox, J W Gunter, B Harrington, S Harrington, Jr., T Harrington, T S Hockaday, W L Hockaday, B Hunter, A B Kelly, J T Kelly, Sr., J T Kelly, Jr., J O A Kelly, W J Kelly, J H Matthews, J Maxwell, Dr J McCormick, G S W.; H D McCormick, A McDairmid, J A McDonald, L McN McDonald, G McDongald, J A D McKay, N McKay, Jr., A D McLean, Hugh McLean, J McLeod, Jr., W McLeod, Jr., D McNeill, A A

McPhail, B Morris, D Morrison, M Morrison, Dr J L Sheppard, J M Sloan, M Small, F J Swann, M Thomas, W J Thomas, C Watson, D G Worth.

Residents not Members—Neill A Cameron, K P Harman.

Initiated 14; passed 13; raised 13; died 2; residents not members 2; whole number 59.

CENTRAL CROSS, No. 187, PEACH TREE GROVE.

Officers—W A Moore, W M; Berry Bilbro, S W; H Harris, J W; M Sykes, Treas.; W E Manning, Sec.; U Creekmure, S D; W C Harris, J D; T F Creekmure, Tyler.

Members—T M A Thomas, W G Wheless, H H Bryant, R R Boone, H H Wester, S Gay, Bolen Melton, Briton Wood, A Strickland, W G Stricklin, T B Dean, J J Murray, B Wester, W A Bowden, W H Gay, Wm Hunt, J M Stricklin, R Upchurch, E C Lewis, G R Bass, A H Wester, W T Bryant, T J Stokes, S Turner, A P Stricklin, A Sledge, C D Matthews, Jesse Perry, D N Bowden, Troy Wilder J J Bowden, Joseph Hopkins, Jas T Webb, Dr A S Harris, Jas N Uzzel, J C Moore, William Sykes, Jos W Wheless, A Wheless, J M Culpepper, Thos N Lewis, J N Upchurch, Geo R Marshborn, C J Walker, W J Wilder, W J M Boone, S Hendrick, J J E Deanes.

Initiated 8; passed 8; raised 7; died 2; whole No. 58.

Regular time of Meeting, 2d Saturday in each month and on the days of St. John the Baptist and Evangelist.

FAIR BLUFF, No. 190, FAIR BLUFF.

Officers—W J Stanley, W M; J Q Smith, S W; J W McGougan, J W; T W Barden, Treas.; J G Powell, Sec.; E W Reddick, S D; Wesley Price, J D; Joseph Page, Tyler.

Members—Alva Smith, Nicholas Carroll, W D Mills, G A Belcher, E D Mears, Enoch Wade, A Robertson, E E Gee, H W Parker, A C Oliver, J W McNair, T S Memory, Henry

Coleman, B W Wilkins, B T Barden, E W Holliday, J C Croom, J W Edmond, J H Edmond, A C D Worley, Josiah Enzar, W H Ham, George W Pugh, L G Stephens, J D Oats, O Williams, S A Barns, William Roberts, Joshua Sauls, A McN Leach, J H Derham, Levi Granger, C C Cates, A M Gray, S A Laty, Owen Grahlum, J C Carroll, Whitfield Crawford, H C Watters, M D Godwin.

Initiated 13; passed 11; raised 9; died 1; residents not members 1; whole No. 49.

GRANITE, No. 191, CLAYTON.

Officers—L P Phillips, W M; J H Bryan, S W; J E Whitley, J W; Harry Johnson, Treas.; E G Hill, Sec.; S H Hood, S D; J H Jones, J D; Caswell Andrews, Tyler.

Members—J M Smith, W H Penny, Wiley Jones, J R Harrison, P P Medlin, J Nichols, G H Faribault, C Pool, Z Toler, J W Jones, A T Bunn, T R Youngblood, R L Bryan, R M Duncan, Chandly Pool, J J Penny, A S Pool, Caswell Andrews, W W Cox, N G Green, J R Brannan, N L Barnes, J T Bool, L Bryan, W H Lancaster, J G Barber.

Residents not Members—L Ferrell.

Initiated 6; passed 8; raised 10; admitted 1; suspended 1; died 2; whole No. 33.

Regular time of meeting third Saturday in each month.

CAPE FEAR, No. 194, ELIZABETHTOWN.

Officers—J P Lytle, W M; A K McDaniel, S W; B L Craven, J W; Thomas M Kelly, Treas.; D Blue, Sec.; Thos S Whitted, S D; S F Dickson, J D; Wm H Porter, Tyler.

Members—D M Buie, B F Rinaldi, Charles T Davis, B Fitz Randolph, James F Gillespie, Daniel Munn, J A McDowell, Thomas D McDowell, Daniel Patterson, George Tait, John S Willis, Robert Tait, Duncan Kelly, Neill McGill, Wm J Parker, Daniel M Smith, Shadrach Wooten, G W Sealey, A K Cromartie, D Blue, J McK Mulford, A H Cain, R M Devane, H Johnson, J A McKay, E J Cain, John K

McNeill, John N Kelly, W A Atkinson, Neill J Lemmon, John Monroe, Isaac J Cain, R M Lewis, John Rice, Wm N Campbell, Wm M Sink, J S Robinson, James A Kelly, Arch M McNeill, Daniel Johnson, Evan Johnson, D J Clarke, R P Melvin, J J Melvin.

Residents not Members—J W Rinaldi, J R Kemp, H R Francis.

Initiated 10; passed 10; raised 8; admitted 2; withdrawn 3; residents not members 3; whole number 52.

Regular communication, second Tuesday in each month.

FALKLAND, No. 196, PITT.

Officers—W M King, W M; W R Williams, S W; John Peebles, J W; W B F Newton, Treas.; P H Mayo, Sec.; John King, S D; W Peebles, J D.

Members—W L Tyer, Guilford Moore, Henry Harriss, W L Grimmer, John H Hines, C P Randolph.

Initiated 4; passed 3; raised 3; admitted 1; died 1; whole number 14.

Regular time of meeting, second Saturday in every month.

CARY, No. 198, CARY.

Officers—Jas E Allen, W M; Alvin Betts, S W; Rev A D Blackwood, J W; Jos J King, Treas.; Jas Q Williams, Sec.; W J Holleman, S D; W S King, J D; Jno R Whitehead, Tyler; Rev A D Blackwood Chaplain.

Members—R H Jones, P M; Wyatt B Allen, Dr Thomas W Young, C P Wilder, W D Carlton, T T Holland, T F Passmore, A L Woodall, N A Pleasants, John C King, A F Page, Sidney Scott, Alvis Yates, L M Morgan, W R Smith, M B Marcom, W W Holleman, Silas G Holleman, D T Bunch, M P Stone, C D Edwards, P A Sorrell, L M King, C F Dowd, Ira N Allen, John P Massay, Needham Stone, Sidney King, W B Scott, Willie Lynn, Willie Maynard.

Residents not Members—John Q Adams, Sr.; Capt Alfred Jones, L D Franklin, W H Marshall.

Initiated 14; passed 14; raised 13; died 3; residents not members 4; whole number 39.

HIGH POINT, No. 199, GUILFORD.

Officers—Wm P Pugh, W M; Henry W Weeden, S W; James A Campbell, J W; David M Petty, Treas.; Jacob T Brown, Sec.; J M Tomblinson, S D; W C Denny, J D; Eli Deny, Tyler.

Members—H W Brummell, J M Blair, B F Blair, William Bowman, F Coltrane, W Carman, S C Clair, C Alred, Jacob Clinard, Hampton Horney, T B F Hayworth, Moses Hammons, D Z Hardon, Isaac Hammer, C J Hayworth, Levi B Horney, P A Hoover, J W Kenneday, John Hendale, John A Lindsay, S D Mulnix, M M Motsinger, J H Moore, M P Nicholson, Saml J Piggott, W C Petty, David M Pugh, B Payne, Seburn Perry, A V Sullivan, S M Swaim, W S Tomblinson, A O P Teague, Harper F Sullivan, A G Tucker, J D Winslow, Noah White, J W Wall, W R White, S W Wall, Joseph Williams, W M Wilson, W P Roper, B F Steed, H J Harrison, Abner Gray, Samuel W Brown, S J Finch, Z English, W L Cecil, D K Elliott.

Residents not Members—E B Ring, E F Smallwood, Peter Thurston, Mathew Hedgecock, M Travillion, E J Nichols, M Jerrell, Wm Dickson, Rev. W B Richardson, James Miller, W T Gannaway, Calvin Graves, John Lambeth, John D Smith.

Initiated 24; passed 24; raised 23; rejected 7; died 4; residents not members 14; whole number 73.

Regular time of meeting, the Saturday night before the full moon in each month, and on St. John's day.

EAGLE ROCK, No. 201, EAGLE ROCK.

Officers—Thomas H Avera, W M; G W Scarborough, S W; William Underhill, J W, P M; Thomas R Debnam, Treas., P M; Presley P Parr, Sec.; John M Williams, S D; Amos Scarborough, J D; Upchurch Smith, Tyler; M G Todd, Chaplain.

Members—J C Horton, Bourbon Liles, John A Underhill, T W Hood, Giles Underhill, Thomas Chalmers, G C Smith, David Hinton, Walter Debnam, James E Todd, P M; James

Todd, Ruffin B Ellis, J A Richardson, Riley Phillips, John Smith, P M; N D Parr, Joseph R Lee, John R Cooper, A J Strickland, Larken Smith.

Initiated 3; passed 3; admitted 1; whole number 29.

CLEAVELAND, No. 202, SHELBY.

Officers—H F Schenck, W M; Thomas Williams, S W; John F Stephens, J W; M C Roberts, Treas.; T P Wells, Sec.; R B Price, S D.

Members—John F Aydelotte, Rev A P Avent, A W Barton, Jefferson Black, Michael Borders, Jacob S Borders, Rev W S Black, John Berry, T G Borders, C H Dixon, Augustus Deal, S A Durham, D N Durham, E C Elliott, V H Elliott, J B Falton, Dr N A G Goode, Dr J C Gidney, P V Greene, W F Gold, J W Gidney, W H Greene, A J Hardin, P P Hoke, J W Irvine, T W Love, L M McAfee, Wm McSwain, A A McAfee, J P Nowell, J N Nicholson, E A Price, R B Smith, Dr J N Tracey, J G Williamson, T M Wilson, David Whisnant.

Residents not Members—Wm Jenks, C Fronebuger, Wm Cooke, Thomas R Shufred, Dr L N Durham, W S Corbitt, H Lee, Hon T W Tarley, of Tennessee.

Initiated 10; passed 9; raised 7; residents not members 8; whole number 43.

ROANOKE, No. 203, WELDON.

Officers—James Johnson, W M; R W Daniel, S W; J G Lockhart, J W; W Whitaker, Treas.; B W Spilman, Sec.; Jos M Howell, S D; H B Moody, J D; Wm T Kee, Tyler.

Members—John Campbell, Wm H Ponton, Hawlin Allen, R W Daniel, John H Beckham, Wm Canstaphen, Wm H Clark, N M Long, Jr.; Jos W Caper, E J Thomas, John W Fisher, William Weymouth, A M Drew, Jos T Evans, Edmond Hart.

Residents not Members—Dr William Alston, Samuel E Phillips, John M Moody.

Initiated 6; passed 2; raised 2; admitted 3; residents not members 3; whole number 23.

LONG CREEK, No. 205, MECKLENBURG.

Officers—R D Whitley, W M; J N Blythe, S W; R V Hernse, J W; H W Stinson, Treas.; J F Farry, Sec.; Dr J Henderson, S D; A R Henderson, J D; J H Peoples, Tyler; Dr T M Kerr, S J McElroy, Stewards.

Members—Dr W S M Davidson, C W McCoy, J D Kernse, A M Barry, G W Alexander, Rev S C Pharr, W B Harry, S A Douglass, James T White, J B McGee, Thomas Douglas, S Sifford, R M Martin, J S Henderson, J M Sample, E M Pucket, J M Houston, T N McRealy, A H Alexander, T M A Kernse, B F Brown, A C Shields, J S Kirksey, Jas Hastings, R V Beel, N S Alexander, Albert McCoy, L A Potts, W D Stone.

Residents not Members—Samuel Loring, M B Abernathy.

Initiated 17; passed 18; raised 18; rejected 9; died 1; residents not members 2; whole number 39.

Regular time of meeting, 2d Friday in each month at 3 o'clock, p. m.

MINGO, No. 206, SAMPSON.

Officers—B B Holder, W M; J M Jernigan, S W; S B Jackson, J W; S D Jackson, Treas.; Killea Lassiter, Sec.; J C Williams, S D; D Lockerman, J D; M Tew, Tyler.

Members—Keneon Barefoot, Joel Jackson, Wm Harris, John Dudley, Jesse Wilson, L H Lee, F Jernigan, Eli Dudley, David B Dawson, Josiah Jernigan, Daniel McDonald, James R Holder, Hardy H Draughon, Wm R Holmes, Grey Culbreth, John P Stone, John J Tew, N L Hawley, Wm Daughtry, James R Maxwell, Wiley West, James C Williams, S D Jackson, Budd Jernigan, James D Maloy, John Culbreth, D C Young, David Lee, James C Draughon, John A Strickland, Josiah Hudson, John A Butter, Clifton Ward, Batt Lee, Calvin D Wilson, A B Parker, R A Jackson, Josiah McPhail, R Ward, Erasmus Lee, M O Jackson, Wm H Warren, A T Herring.

Initiated 14; passed 14; raised 14; rejected 18; expelled 1; withdrawn 2; died 5; whole number 51.

Regular time of meeting, first Saturday in each month.

NEW SALEM, No. 209, NEW SALEM.

Officers—Dr W A Woollen, W M; James Coble, S W; Rev J Causey, J W; J C Gregson, Treas.; P D Caudle, Sec.; Rev A Gregson, S D; J T Bostick, J D; Wm Hendrix, Tyler.

Members—Robert Parsons, L C Wood, Rev Joseph Caucy, E B Lineberry, S Lineberry, M Hinshaw, W P Orsborne, A M Harden, D P Cox, K W Davis, Wm Branson, J C Branson, J N Caudle, N C Jarrell, W A Woollen, Wm Hendrix, D Lewis, A L Lamb, B N Smith, Jas Cox, Jas Coble, B W Burkhead, W H Balentine, R L Causey, M Jarrell, C Coble, R A Glenn, G V Lamb, A F Jones, M D Skeen, T E Newby, Thomas Dougan, D L Swain, R C Johnson, D B Davis, L R Harden, A S Ross, M Lackey, H R McKing, J S Henley, J S Swaim, J W Worthington, Dr W Coble, W Redding, W A Dougan, J Miller, Eli Coble, Rev Amos Gregson, S C Fox, W P Fruit, J W Pugh, R R Hanner, J T Vickery, D W Coltrane, S H Causey, J C Gregson, Robert Coble, G W Davis, P D Caudle, J H Pickett, J S Turner, W L Staley, N R Briles, J C Harris, N P Henley, M H Julian, C F Siler, R S Harris, K Craven, A P Johnson, Joseph Redding, Wm Green, U C Lamb, David Teague, J T Bostick.

Residents not Members—J W Wall, S W Wall, David Coble.

Initiated 25; passed 27; raised 28; admitted 1; withdrawn 3; died 3; residents not members 3; whole number 78.

Regular time of meeting, Saturday night after the full moon in each month, and the 24th of June and the 27th of December.

ENO, No. 2 10, DURHAM'S.

Officers—John R Gree n, W M; John N Cheek, S W; B C Hopkins, J W; Fred C Geer, Treas.; Benj Y Rogers, Sec.; T B Morris, S D; S olomon Hall, J D; Gray Barbee, Tyler.

MEMBERS—John C McCown, R F Morris, Z J Lyon, W J H Durham, W G Guess, A A Nance, D C Halyburton, Wm Halyburton, R W York, Solomon Shepherd, Thomas J Davis, Samuel Jenkins, Willie Hampton, William Jenkins, John W Ferrell, Luico Nichols, Washington Duke, Wm J Duke, C P Trice, A B Gunter, Simpson Barbee, William McCown, Wm Green, John Hall, William Boles, Joseph G Vickers.

RESIDENTS NOT MEMBERS—W P Ward, W A Cox, W C Kinsey.

Initiated 7; passed 7; raised 7; suspended 1; admitted 1; died 2; residents not members 3; whole number 37.

ASHLAND, No. 211, MT. AIRY.

OFFICERS—J B Kingsbury, W M; T W Prather, S W; J S Hill, J W; Warren Bolt, Treas.; J W Rawley, Sec.; J T Conelly, S D; R R Gallaway, J D; Wm Griffith, Tyler.

MEMBERS—H W Adkins, M D Armfield, Wm M Banner, C L Banner, E H Banner, J E Banner, M R Banner, John Banner, Sr., Warren Bolt, G H Booker, J W Brower, J T Conelly, Mordecai Fleming, Samuel Forkner, R R Gallaway, Wm Griffith, David Hall, Wm M Hicks, J S Hill, Robert Hines, Jos Hollinsworth, Wm R Hollinsworth, R D Hill, (dead,) J B Kingsbury, Wm C Kingsbury, (dead,) E E Kingsbury, J H Lewellen, G W Lampkin, J M Marshall, M C Moore, W A Mitchell, G A McCraw, Enos Morse, T W Prather, W H Pell, Wm Rawley, J W Rawley, Henry Sparger, James Speer, T W Smith, David Stolts, Samuel H Taylor, L T Whitlock, D W Worth.

RESIDENTS NOT MEMBERS—Elijah Banner, W O Reid, J C Norman.

Initiated 14; passed 14; raised 14; residents not members 3; whole number 43.

INDUSTRIAL, No. 212, COMPANY SHOPS.

OFFICERS—Dr J A Moore, W M; W D Faucett, S W; John P Adams, J W; Joseph Fix, Treas.; Thomas Tate, Sec.; J C Holt, S D; M Hinchard, J D; J A Eaves, Tyler.

MEMBERS—J S Binns, John Bissett, D C Bobe, G D Boon, L H Boon, C Carroll, A W Chilson, Joseph Chrisman, Joseph Cropper, C C Davis, C Davis, F W Fonville, J G Garrison, John Hall, Louis Huffins, H R Linthicum, J T Long, James Martin, E H Marsh, John Micheal, Peter Micheal, R W Mills, T R Moore, A W Montgomery, J R Murphy, Thos Nance, Chas Parmenter, E A Patterson, J S Richardson, B L Rike, J W Rippy, T E Roberts, Thomas Robertson, B E Sergeant, S G Strickland, Thomas Stafford, Isaiah Summers, Thomas Swann, W C Swann, Dr W C Tarpley, W W Tarpley, G W Tate, E Teague, E Thomas, L R Tickle, W H Turrentine, J A Turrentine, R D Wade, C R Waisner, J A Welch, E M Wheeler, Daniel Whitesell, E Wilkes, J A Wilson, D Worth, P M York, L S Boon.

RESIDENTS NOT MEMBERS—L H Shryock, J G Arthur, S J Neiseler, W E McCarter.

Initiated 31; passed 31; raised 30; rejected 10; died 2; residents not members 4; whole number 69.

Regular time of meeting, the first and third Wednesday nights in each month, and on the eve of the festivals of St. John the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist.

CRANE'S CREEK, No. 213, CRANE'S CREEK.

OFFICERS—S E Johnson, W M; N W Shaw, S W; W Keith, J W; G Campbell, Treas.; John McNeill, Sec.; B W Spivey, S D; John Riddle, J D; A C Smith, Tyler.

MEMBERS—M M McRae, N McK McNeill, John Nicholson, H J McNeill, J H Harrington, K H Worthy, N C Graham, J M D Fergason, N A McNeill, W Arnold, D McDonald, B McKithen, J N McNeill, A B Harrington, A H Cameron, D C Fergason, F McIntosh, N M Fergason, D Keith, J C Fergason, N McN Buie, R Williams, W P Cameron, D A Graham, E McN Blue, M Brittan, D M Fergason, N T Tyson, W Riddle, M Smith, H Rogers, T H Harrington, Abel Riddle, W Murchison, W A Philips, A C Currie, D J Currie, P S Wadsworth, A A McFadger, J A McBryde, C W Shaw, D M McIver, D J Johnson, T Riddle, J M Cole, B Thomp-

son, J H Raman, G W Riddle, H Jackson, J Maples, A A Campbell, W C Jackson, A J McDonald, K Wicker, M C Johnson, J D F Smith, J A Patterson, G W Thomas, A Cole, C Riddle, E Cole, John Cole, N T Lemons, J J Monger, D D Graham.

Initiated 18; passed 18; raised 20; rejected 6; died 12; whole number 73.

Regular time of meeting, third Saturday in each month.

RICHLANDS, No. 214, THOMASVILLE.

Officers—Dr R W Thomas, W M; W J Hutson, S W; Dr Charles F Smith, J W; L L Thomas, Treas.; J W Jones, Sec.; J H Holt, S D; A C Burgess, J D; A F Dodson, Tyler.

Members—Dr R F Andrews, J C Cadner, P M.; S W Craven, J Culbreth, Alex Conrade, P C Cates, G L Darr, C C Dodson, G P Dodson, A G Foster, Abs. Grimes, J Hauck, S W Howerton, C P Jones, D W C Johnston, Jacob Knoy, David Loften, J H Lambeth, R J Lines, George Lines, J L Lee, J Lucabill B C Lambeth, J H Long, E L Ligon, W T Moore, Alex McRary, R M McCatchen, W L Miller, J R Pugh, Andrew Perryman, Rev C H Phillips, J Regans, W F Rice, Jonathan Rothruck, R W Shelly, John Stone, W W Shelly, T H Smith, J D Spicer, J W Thomas, John W Thomas, E S Veach, R W Moore.

Residents not Members—Chas C Clark, Dr H E Raunsaville, Rev J B Jackson, J W Baxter, G W Wallace, D W Hurt, T D Fay, C G Buckman, S M Whitaker, A P Craven.

Initiated 38; passed 39; raised 39; admitted 7; rejected 12; died 2; residents not members 10; whole number 63.

NEW LIGHT, No. 215, GRANVILLE.

Officers—B Walker, W M; A L Davis, S W; Eugene Grissom, J W; N M Laurence, Treas.; John C Usry, Sec.; J S Bailey, S D; W D Bailey, J D; J F Dillard, Tyler.

Members—Allen Bailey, John J Bobbitt, J R Jones, S S Abernathy, R R Holmes, D H Whitfield, T H Thorington, R Thorington, J D Grissom, W Thorington, John Davis, G

W Lowry, D T Averett, J J Moore, C M Rogers, J G Clay, W A Haswell, J B Grissom, J S Vaughn, T N Haswell, G M Bragg, W Smith, J W Laurence, B J Roberts, J Z Allen, W Hockaday, R Garner, W R Hayes.

Residents not Members—John Long.

Initiated 4; passed 5; raised 5; admitted 2; rejected 7; residents not members 1; whole number 36.

Regular time of meeting, last Saturday in each month.

ROCKINGHAM, No. 216, RICHMOND.

Officers—Rev H H Gibbons, W M; John D Shortridge, S W; John A Long, J W; John T Northam, Treas.; W P McDonald, Sec.; Angus Stewart, S D; S Thomas Cooper, J D; John York, Steward and Tyler.

Members—John Shortridge, Robert N Fairly, D W Middleton, John T Moorman, John D Shaw, Martin V Terry, Angus McDuffie, John J Bennett, W M Bostick, B G Covington, Josiah C Gay, D McLaurin, P Capel, J M Bostick, Buion D Bostick, S W Bostick, Rev Jonathan Sandford, Dr D Henigan, A D Morison, Wm J Everett, S B Sessoms, Harvey Terry, Gilbert M Morison, Edwin P Covington, Moses P McKinnon, Rev Jonathan H Dally, Rev W Frank Sandford, Henry A Covington, Dr A W Hamer, Dr O P Luther, George T Pate, James H Pate, Rev James W O'Brien, Eli Gibson, Rev Evander Fuller, Peter McRae, Wm C Cale, John C Ussery, R Scott, McDonald Stephen, W Webb, J W Ewing, Jas N Terry, B W Covington, J W Terry, John C Terry, James R Long, John W Thomas, Joel Bullard, John G Watson, William Batton, Robert S Leak, Elijah Everett, Evander McDonald, Clem C Long.

Residents not Members—Walter L Steele, Rev R S Ledbetter.

Initiated 22; passed 22; raised 21; rejected 6; admitted 1; died 1; residents not members 2; whole number 63.

Regular time of meeting, third Saturday night in each month in which there is no Court held in Rockingham and on Monday night of each Court.

CATAWBA VALLEY, No. 217, MORGANTON.

Officers—J A Claywell, W M; J J Irwin, S W; N H Kaylor, J W; M Spainhour, Treas.; L Terry, Sec.; W M Winters, S D; C Hauck, J D; E C Cooper, Tyler; E Hoosier, J T Patterson, Stewards.

Members—J M Happoldt, P M; Wm S Moore, J W Bean, J M Kincaid, R L Abernathy, B S Gaither, Z D Lancaster, Wm Milne, B Linchenstein, E G Mayo, J Moorefield, T J Halyburton, J B Erwin, E G Petterson, J M Spainhour, Erwin Boon, B M Davey, J J Presnoll, W F Avery, A C Avery, C J Brown, Wm R Duvall, R Patton, John B Powell, J R McAuley, R J McElrath, Jr., D Berry, C D Giles, M E Thompson, A F Somers, John McKinsie.

Residents not Members—M W Kincaid, Wm McD Howard, C C Jones, T Martin, Wm F McKesson, L W Melton, R McD Tate, R N Kincaid, J B Kincaid, E J Kirksey, J M Neal, M Burgin, Wm C Tate, S C W Tate, John Kincaid, S McD Tate, J C Tate.

Initiated 15; passed 13; raised 13; admitted 4; died 2; residents not members 17; whole number 40.

The time of holding the regular meetings are on the first Wednesday of every month, Tuesday nights of Burke Superior and County Courts, and the festival of St. John's.

ERRATA.

On page 5, for "the following committee," read "the following committees were appointed."

On the same page, for "M. Felter," read "M. Fetter;" and on page 10, the same error appears in this brother's name.

On page 7, Lebanon Lodge is numbered "209," it should have been "207."

Jeffersonville Lodge, on page 8, is superfluous. It was inserted through mistake after the committee on Charters and Dispensation had made their second report. No Lodge of that name was chartered.